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MAILS CLOSE.

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Western "	7 25 A.M.
Hollidaysburg,	7 25 A.M. and 6 00 P.M.
Western Through,	6 00 "
Eastern Through Mail	7 30 "

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Eastern Through Mail,	7 55 A. M.
Western Through,	7 55 "
Western Way,	9 00 A. M.
Eastern "	6 25 P. M.
Hollidaysburg,	7 30 A. M. and 6 15 "

Office open for the transaction of business from 6.30 A M. to 7.30 P. M. during the week, and from 7.30 to 8.30 o'clock on Sunday.

June 4, '57–tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

Express Train East arrives	1.25 A. M.,		leaves	1.30 A. M.
" " West "	7.25 "	"	"	8.15 "
Fast " East "	9.05 P. M.	"	"	9.20 P. M.
" " West "	8.10 P. M.,	"	"	8.25 P. M.
Day " East "	7.35 A. M.	"	"	7.50 A. M.
" " West "	6.25 P. M.,	"	"	6.40 P. M.

The HOLLIDAYSBURG BRANCH connects with Express Train East and West, and with Mail Train East and West.

The BLAIRSVILLE BRANCH connects with Johnstown Way Train East and West, Express Train West and Mail Train East.

November 20, 1858. THOS. A. SCOTT, Sup't.

MEETINGS OF ASSOCIATIONS.

Mountain Lodge, A. Y. M., No. 251, meets on second Tuesday of each month, in the third story of the Masonic Temple, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Mountain Encampment, A. Y. M., No 10, meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month, in the third story of the Masonic Temple, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Altoona Lodge, I. O. of O. F., No. 672, meets every Friday evening, in the second story of the Masonic Temple, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Veranda Lodge, I. O. of O. F., No. 532, meets every Friday evening, in the third story of Patton's Building, on Virginia street, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Wissahiccon Tribe, No. 25, I. O. R. M., hold stated Council every Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall, in the Masonic Temple. Council Fire kindled at 7th run 30th breath. W. A. ADAMS, *C. of R.* [June 23, '57–1y

Junior Sons of America, Camp No. 31, meets every Monday night in the third story of Patton's Hall, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Washington Camp, No. 54, J. S. of A., meets every Tuesday evening, in the 2d story of Patton's Hall.

Altoona Division, No. 211, S. of T., meets every Saturday evening, in the Odd Fellows' Hall, Masonic Temple.

Altoona Mechanics' Library and Reading Room Association meets statedly on the 1st Saturday evening in January, April, July and October. Board of Directors meet on the 1st Tuesday evening in each month. Room open from 6 to 9 o'clock every evening, (Sunday excepted.)

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CARPET BAGS, TRUNKS, UMBRELLAS, &c., can be bought cheaper at H. TUCH'S than at any other place in the country. [Dec. 9, 1858.

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Chartered, 1856—Charter Perpetual.

Will insure against Fire and Sickness. Also, on first class Horses, Mules and Cattle at reasonable rates.

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The weekly payment of this Company to those incapacitated for active life by sickness or accident, equals the amount deposit. For instance, by paying at the rate of

$ 5 00 per year, draw weekly		$ 5 00
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I am personally acquainted with the Directors and Officers of the West Branch Insurance Company at Lock Haven, Pa., and cheerfully bear testimony to their high character as business men. A company under their control will undoubtedly be safely and prudently managed, and all losses which it may sustain honorably adjusted.

May 5, 1859–6m

GREAT OPENING OF SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

J. B. HILEMAN HAS JUST RECEIVED and opened at his old stand, on Virginia st., a large and attractive assortment of seasonable goods, comprising all the novelties in

BEREGES, DUCALS, CHINTZES, LAWNS, GINGHAMS, EMBROIDERIES, LACES, HOSIERY & GLOVES,

and all varieties and textures of *LADIES DRESS GOODS,*

together with a full assortment of goods for gentlemen's wear, such as Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings.

Also a full stock of Hardware, Queensware and

GROCERIES,

and an assortment of

BOOTS, SHOES, GAITORS, &C.,

of all sizes and styles, which equal to any in the market, and will be sold at fair prices.

Having recently enlarged my store-room, I can now display my largely increased stock to better advantage and would respectfully invite everybody to call.

May 12, 1859.

NEW GROCERY AND LIQUOR STORE.—The undersigned would beg leave to announce to the citizens of Blair county and vicinity that he has opened his new Store *on Virginia street, three doors below the Superintendent's Office,* where he has just received from the East and West a large assortment of

Foreign and Domestic Liquors,

consisting as follows:

French Otard Brandy, Cognac Brandy, Peach Brandy, Cherry Brandy, Old Burgundy Wine, Old Port Wine, Jamaica Rum, Holland Gins Old Rye Whiskey, Monongahela Whiskey, and Rhine Wine,

which he has himself imported. Retailers of Liquors and Farmers will find it to their advantage to buy of him, as he will sell at CITY PRICES.

He will also keep constantly on hand an assortment of

GROCERIES,

Such as Flour, Bacon, Salt, Fish, Tobacco, Segars, Syrup, Sugar, Coffee, &c., &c.,

All of which will be sold cheap for cash or Country Produce.

Our friends and the public generally are respectfully invited to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

LOUIS PLACK.

Altoona, May 26, 1859.–tf

D. R. GOUD, M. D. J. M GEMMILL, M. D.

DRS. GOOD & GEMMILL HAVING entered into Partnership in the Practice of Medicine, respectfully tender their services to the Public in the several branches of their Profession.

Calls will be answered either day or night at their office —which is the same as heretofore occupied by Drs. Hirst & Good,—or at the Logan House.

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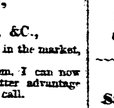
April 21st, 1859-3m

DR. WM. R. FINLEY RESPECTFULLY offers his professional services to the people of Altoona and the adjoining country.



He may be found at the office heretofore occupied by Dr. G. D. Thomas.

Altoona, Sept. 30, 1858.–tf

B. F. ROYER, M. D., Offers his professional services to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity.

The best of references can be given if required.

Office at residence on Branch street, East Altoona, three doors above Conrad's Store. [April 26 '59-1y.

DENTISTRY.—DR. S. KIMMELL, *OPERATIVE & MECHANICAL DENTIST.*

Teeth inserted, from one to a full set, on Gold or Silver Plate.

Teeth filled with Gold, and warranted for ten years.

Teeth Extracted by the Electro Magnetic Machine without Pain.

All operations and work done cheaper than anywhere else in the county, and a deduction made, of the railroad expenses from Altoona to Hollidaysburg, from all operations amounting to five dollars and over.

☞ Office on Montgomery street, opposite the Exchange Hotel, Hollidaysburg, Pa. [Dec. 16, 1858-1y

WM. S. BITTNER, SURGEON DENTIST.

OFFICE IN THE MASONIC TEMPLE. Teeth extracted without pain by the Electro Magnetic Machine. [Dec. 23, '58.–tf

☞ A Student wanted.

BLAIR COUNTY INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, Agent of the Blair County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, Buildings, *Merchandize, Furniture and Property,* of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any Company in the State. Office with Bell, Johnston, Pack & Co. R. T. CALDWELL, *Agent.*

Jan. 27, '59–tf

LYCOMING COUNTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, agent of the Lycoming Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, Buildings, *Merchandize, Furniture and Property* of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State. Office in the Masonic Temple. Jan. 5, '59-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, *Agent.*

GREAT WESTERN INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY.—Insurance on Real or personal property will be effected on the most reasonable terms by their agents in Altoona at his office in Anna St.

March 17, 1859. JOHN SHOEMAKER, Agent.

Select Poetry.

REMEMBERED BLISS.

BY GEORGE D. PRENTICE.

Alas! alas! I did not think,
Amid past hours of deep delight,
That a night could break the golden link
That then between us seemed so bright.
We little dream what time may bring;
The heart is a mysterious thing:
A change came o'er thy gentle brow,
And we are but as strangers now.

Yet sometimes in my sadder moods,
Amid the scenes of toil and strife,
And oft in woodland solitudes,
Afar from dark and busy life,
Thy image rises to my eye
As bright as in the days gone by;
Thy voice, low, musical, and clear,
Steals like a spirit's on my ear;
The vanquished joys come wildly back
Along life's dark and arid track;
Old thoughts within my bosom stir,
And I am still thy worshipper.

The bird that o'er my pathway flies,
The fleeting vision of a dream,
The star that lights awhile the skies,
Then turns away its silver beam—
These, these are emblems to my heart
Of what thou wast, of what thou art,
The bird, the dream, the star are flown,
And I am left alone—alone;
Yet still I hear with sweet delight
The song the bird sang in her flight;
The dream with all its fairy train
Still haunts the chambers of my brain;
And often when I gaze afar
Through tears where beamed the vanished star,
It seems again to burn on high,
The glory of my clouded sky.
And on its lovely disk I trace
The pictured image of thy face,
And kneel in worship as when first
Its Eden-light upon me burst.

Select Miscellany.

From the Ohio Cultivator.

Sunday Doings among Horses.

Our parson is one of the kind who gives the people the worth of their money, so he gets up pretty extensive sermons for such hot days. Last Sunday I sat till he got to 11thly, and, by that time, I got as dry as a contribution box; so I stepped out to get a drink at the pump. The meeting house is at the corner, and the horses are hitched along on both sides.

As I went out I saw something was on foot amongst the nags: most of them had their ears back, and were showing their teeth and stamping in anything but a religious mood. When I got my fluid down I stopped to investigate the disturbance among the horses, and as I knew horse-latin, sat down to take notes.

All outside the rails and hitching post, in a paved gutter, each beating a tattoo with a quartette of iron hoofs, which I at first thought would be more profitable for the blacksmith and farrier than for the owners, but, as the owners were mostly rich, it was none of my business.

The little Black reached his head over to the little Chesnut and whispered something, when the Chesnut moved the meeting be organized by calling the big Bay to the chair. This motion was carried, and the chairman proceeded to state the object of the meeting as follows:

FELLOW HORSES:—We have now organized ourselves into a convention for the purpose of peaceably discussing our grievances in accordance with the republican character of our inalienable rights. We are brought from our stables and pastures, every Sunday, to be tied up here, in this hot weather, upon a pavement of villainous bolders, exposed to the heat of a mid-summer sun and the bites of the merciless flies. Many of us have not a stitch of fly net to our backs, and all of us have been more or less incapacitated from protecting ourselves by having our tails clipped to gratify an unseemly fashion which neither our masters nor mistresses seem disposed to honor, at this time, in their outward continuations.—Besides, our check reins are left tied so tight that we cannot bite a fly from our shoulders, or ease our aching muscles a minute. In view of these abuses, we feel that our condition calls loudly for redress, and hope this convention will devise some means of relief.

The Black then nominated the Chesnut as Secretary, which was agreed on.

The Cream Color moved a Committee of three to present a platform for the consideration of the meeting. Carried, and the chair appointed the Cream, the Black, and the Roan, on said Committee.

While this committee was consulting together, the Chair called for an expression of opinion from the different members of the convention, and requested that each one bring in a resolution embodying his sentiments; whereupon the following were offered:

By the Deacon's Yellow Mare—

Resolved, That the merciful man is merciful to his beast. Adopted.

By old White—

Resolved, That every horse should be provided with a fly net.

This was amended by the Sorrel so as to read "that the said fly nets should be constructed so as to protect the flanks and legs as well as the back and the ears," and in this form the resolution was adopted.

By the Bobtail Black—

Resolved, That this is an abridgment of our own natural rights to *curtail* us at one end and tie the other, while the flies are suffered to suck our blood. Carried with the greatest unanimity.

By the Black Pony—

Resolved, That these flies bite like h—l.

Objected to by the Deacon's Yellow Mare. (The Pony had been brought up in a livery stable where his morals had been sadly neglected.) The little Sorrel said the Pony was right. The old Dun thought the language too strong for the place, but would vote for it any other day but Sunday. The big Gray moved to strike out all after "Resolved," and insert "that these flies have the faculty of causing the members of this convention, and our race generally, much pain and annoyance."

At this the Pony fairly kicked one leg over the shaft, and bit a splinter from a rail. He said:

"Mr. Chairman, the horse just up is an old fogy. I go for calling things by their right names. This standing up here in such weather is a d—d outrage which no christian horse could endure. Master is in there on his soft cushions, hearing Shadrach, &c., in the fiery furnace, that did not burn them a bit, while we stand here in a fiery furnace that does nearly take the hair off, and tormented by flies to boot! I protest against Dun's milk and water substitute, and call for the previous question on my resolution.

This was seconded by the Bobtail Black, little Sorrel and Dapple Grey, and the resolution was carried by a large majority.

The Cream announced that the committee on a platform was ready to report, and presented the following:

1st. Since the horses are deprived of their natural defences, they should be effectually secured against flies, &c., while confined in harness.

2d. No good christian will leave his horse tied in the sun, upon the paving stones, when there is a shade and soft ground within fifty yards.

3d. The man who keeps a check rein hitched up while his horse is waiting by the hour, ought to go to the place we read of.

4th. The provisions of the Golden Rule should be constructed so as to apply to horses as well as men.

This platform was adopted by a unanimous *neigh,* and the Secretary was ordered to furnish a copy to every horse congregation in the city for ratification, with the request that the subject be acted upon next Sunday.

Just then the people began to come out of the church. The little Black tossed his head and gave the Chesnut a wicked leer. The Yellow Mare whinnied for her colt, the Pony champed his bit sulkily, but all were so glad to get away that they moved off at the word, and I guess that this convention, like many others, will end only in talk. However, if no reform is effected in a short time, I shall look for further action. SCIOTO.

A CHURCH SEIZED WITH A BILIOUS ATTACK.—Last Sabbath was Quarterly Meeting of the M. E. Church, and, as usual on such occasions, the Sacrament was administered. After the meeting adjourned, the members went their several ways, some to dine with friends in town, some to their homes in the country. In about an hour the doctors were in requisition in every direction; the whole membership was seized with a simultaneous "bilious attack," and the demand for remedial agents was general. The first smell of the sumptuous dinners prepared provoked sudden and involuntary eructation on the part of the orthodox members of the respective families. The venerable Peter Cartwright, Presiding Elder, for whom extra preparations had, of course been made, retired from the prospect as dinner came on, a little bent over, with both hands placed below his vest buttons, declaring that "he didn't feel like eating." One brother is said to have made for his house, half bent, and with a groan, tumbled on to the bed, and in reply to his wife's "What's the matter?" exclaimed in a despairing tone, "Oh! I've got the cholera." The epidemic spread all through the country, exciting considerable alarm, and occasioning a general casting up of accounts. But the panic subsided when it was ascertained that *antimonial wine* had been, by mistake, administered to the whole body of communicants. We understand that "Uncle Peter" said "it was the first time he ever knew an attempt to vomit the devil out of the church."—Although it was a serious matter, the sinners, owing to the hardness of their hearts, did laugh.—*Winchester (Ill.) Chronicle, July 16.*

☞ A witness before Judge M——, of Mississippi, in an answer to a question replied.

"Yes, sir ee, Bob!"

Whereupon the judge said:

"Mr. Clerk, fine Mr. Jones five dollars for the "ree" and five for the 'Bob!'"

Blondin's Fourth Niagara Exhibition.

A multitude congregated at Niagara Falls on the 3d to witness Mons. Blondin's rope performances. He first made a rapid trip over his slight bridge to Canada, says the Buffalo *Express,* and on his return, when about half way to the centre, he stopped and sat down, then stretched himself at full length upon the rope, then performed a number of daring antics, and finally stood upright upon his head, remaining in that reversed position for a length of time which seemed a moment at least, swinging and kicking his feet in the most reckless though ludicrous manner that can be conceived of. Resuming his journey, he proceeded but a little way when he again halted and repeated his performance, with the addition of a backward somersault, and one or two sudden swings around the rope, which caused a general flutter among the hearts of the spectators, and brought little screams from many of the ladies.

Starting forward again he proceeded to the open space in the centre, between the extreme guy ropes that branch off to either bank, where the cable spans the gulf without stay or accompaniment. Here he paused again, and laying his pole upon one of the guy ropes, he swung himself under the cable and *ran* across this central space of single cord, in the style of a monkey; hanging beneath, and swinging himself along by his hands and feet, with great rapidity. Going back again in the same gymnastic manner, when he had returned to the point where his pole rested he began a series of performances which outdid in startling effect upon the nerves of the spectators, all that he had done before. Clutching the rope with his hands he swung his body clear from it, and hung for a lengthy period of more than seconds, suspended by the arms, and by one arm, over the fearful depth of the chasm. Then he repeatedly turned such a suspended somersault as is familiar to boys, throwing his feet over his head and between his arms, and hanging with the shoulder joints in a most unnatural position. Then he straightened his body into a horizontal position, still suspended by the arms, thrown backward as described—an exertion requiring immense strength and calculated to exhaust the nervous system tremendously. After this he suspended himself by the legs, and by one single leg, hanging head downward—whirled around the rope—turned more somersaults—stood upon his head again, and in fact performed nearly all the most reckless feats attempted by tight rope performers under ordinary circumstances. Twice again, before reaching the bank he halted and repeated some of these antics. The performance was wonderful, and exciting enough for the most greedy seeker after sensations; and was by far the greatest yet given by Mons. Blondin.

ADVICE TO YOUNG MEN.—Socrates did not urge his friends to enter early upon public employments, but first to take pains for attainment of the knowledge necessary for their success in them.

Are you stepping on the threshold of life? Secure a good moral character.—Without virtue you cannot be respected; without integrity you can never rise to distinction and honor.

Be careful lest a too warm desire of distinction should deceive you into pursuits that may cover you with shame by setting your incapabilities and slender abilities in your hand.

People who have the rashness to go into stations without proper authority and the requisite preparation for the service of the public, not only involve others in loss, but subject themselves to ridicule.

The tricky, deceitful, and dishonest are rarely prosperous; for when confidence is withdrawn, poverty is likely to follow.

The shortest and shurest way to live with honor in the world, is to be in reality what we appear to be.

When once a concealment or deceit has been practiced in matters where all should be fair and open as the day, confidence can never be restored, any more than you can restore the white bloom to the grape or plum that you have once pressed in your hand.

Error is the cause of many miseries, the corrupt principle that has produced evil in the world; 'tis this which begets and cherishes in our souls all the evils that afflict us and we can never expect to gain true and solid happiness but by a serious endeavor to avoid it. Falsehood is not only one of the most humiliating vices, but sooner or later it is most certain to lead to most serious crime.

Industry, well directed, will give a man a competency in a few years. The greatest industry misapplied is useless.

☞ Theodore Hook says of railroads and steamboats: "They annihilate space and time, not to mention a multitude of passengers."

☞ Horne Took being asked by George III, whether he played cards, replied, "I cannot, your majesty, tell a *king* from a *knave.*"

A Singular Affair.

Some fifteen years ago a man named Geo. Bristol, left this city for the shores of the Pacific. At the time he left, he had a wife and one child, the latter only three years old. They resided in the town of Waterloo. At the time, his wife and child were living with her father.—Some two years after, the father and mother of the woman died, their estates disposed of to satisfy mortgages, and Mrs. Bristol and her child were thrown upon the cold charities of the world for a living. She was very feeble in health, and of course was unable to take care of herself. The mother and child came to this city, where they lived for some five years, at the expiration of which time the mother died, and the girl was left alone in the world to do as best she could, being now about ten years old, and a smart, active good-looking girl, she soon found a situation in a respectable family.

Here she remained till she was 15 years old, when she bound herself out to a milliner. She served three years at that business and had become mistress of her profession. Now, the strangest portion of this revelation is to be told. The girl is now over 18 years old, and a perfect model of her sex. During this long interval it must be remembered that the girl lost all track of her father. Her beauty attracted the attention and admiration of a spruce looking gentleman who met her on Broadway. He was a man of about 40 years, but his appearance did not indicate that he had ever seen over 25 summers.

An acquaintance was made between her and the gentleman above alluded to, and a final engagement entered into for marriage. The day was set, and all necessary arrangements made for the ceremony.—On the appointed day, the pair, accompanied by their friends, met for the purpose of having the plighted ones joined in wedlock. Just before the minister commenced the marriage rites, an old couple entered. They were formerly neighbors of the Bristol family, and had watched the girl grow up from infancy, and were now anxious to see the choice she had made in a partner for life.

Imagine the surprise of all about, when the old couple, above referred to, recognized in the "man of the girl's heart," her own legitimate father. For a moment all was amazement and sadness, but on the state of things being fully realized, the scene turned to one of joy. An absent father had received a lost daughter, and the assembled throng of friends were highly delighted that the affair had resulted as it did. The love that had before burned so brightly between the twain, had now become a flame as inextinguishable as the fires of Vesuvius. A queer world this.—*Alb. Statesman.*

PETER HIS OWN JUDGE.—The following amusing incident communicated by a friend in Roxbury, Mass., occurred in a school in that city:

"A lad, whom we will call Peter for the sake of a name, playing truant from the school, and wishing an excuse the next day, altered over an old note (which had been used for the same purpose on a former occasion) by expunging the old date and substituting the present. The master immediately detected the trick, and in the presence of the whole school, impressed upon him the dangerous character of such frauds. He then told Peter that we would leave him in the aisle for half an hour to reflect on this, and he his own judge as to the punishment due the offence. The half hour having elapsed, the "third position"—the attitude of attention—and the teacher said—"Now, sir, you yourself are the judge in this case; what is your decision?" Peter hesitated a little, then, hanging his head, pronounced in a whinning voice; the following impartial verdict:—"*Why, as it's the first time, I think you'd better let the poor fellow go!*"

☞ It has been said that ladies have generally a great fear of lightning, and this has been superficially ascribed to their natural timidity; but the truth is, that it arises from their consciousness of being attractive.

☞ In youth hearts are trumps; in manhood diamonds and clubs, according to the circumstances; but after all spades are sure to win when the game of life ceases.

☞ Slyness, is a characteristic of a pretty large proportion of the better of the two sexes. Many a woman, like the Spartan boy, carries a fox in her bosom.

☞ "Appearances look well," is the title of a paragraph on the crops, which we lately found copied into an exchange. It reminds us of the "sinfulness of sin."

☞ "Be content with what you have," as the rat said to the trap, when he saw that he had left part of his tail in it.

☞ Procrastination is a Peter Funk—giving for genuine that which proves to be worthless.

The Altoona Tribune:

ALTOONA, PA.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 1859.

☞ Where parties are unknown to us, our rule for advertising is to require payment in advance, or a guarantee from known persons. It is therefore useless for all such to send us advertisements offering to pay at the end of three or six months. Where advertisements are accompanied with the money, whether one, five or ten dollars, we will give the advertiser the full benefit of cash rates.

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☞ The Democratic County Convention met in Hollidaysburg to-day (Wednesday.) A call has been published for a meeting of the Democratic Senatorial Conferees, to be held at Tyrone, on Thursday next, 25th inst.

PHELAN BEATEN.—Phelan of New York, Bird, of Philadelphia, and Tieman of Cincinnati, played three games of billiards, of 250 points each, in the latter city, on Saturday evening last. First game—Tieman and Bird—won by Tieman, Bird scoring 180. Second game—Tieman and Phelan—won by Tieman, Phelan scoring 138. Third game—Phelan and Bird—won by Pheland, Bird scoring 186.

THE CUMBERLAND VALLEY ROAD.—The securing of a sufficient amount of stock in the above Road, by the Pennsylvania Rail Road, to obtain control of it, is heartily approved by the press of Philadelphia, and suggestions have been made by the *North American* that the road should be continued to connect with the railroad traversing the great valley of Virginia and connecting with the Baltimore and Ohio Road. This is surely a matter of interest to Philadelphia, whose citizens should not be slow in securing so desirable a trade as that which the opening of such a road and connection would surely bring.

THE GAINS.—The Opposition party has done well in the late elections so far as Congress is concerned. The following are the gains:—

Kentucky	3
Tennessee	4
North Carolina	2
Oregon	1

This considerably increases the strength of the conservative balance of power in that body to about thirty Representatives. The Democrats have elected ninety-two Lecomptonites and six anti-Lecomptonites, in all ninety-eight, and the Republicans have one hundred and fourteen, and of course neither can control the House, nor organize it under any ultra Speaker.

GOV. WISE IN TROUBLE.—Gov. Wise, of Virginia, who is now playing a bold hand to secure the Presidential nomination by the Democratic Convention at Charleston, has lately got himself into a "peck o' trouble" by letter writing, at which he has always been considered the most extensive in the country. His late trouble consists in the publication of a private letter to some New York politician. It is said that he is now about to publish a letter some twenty or thirty columns long in order to set right the impressions created by the publication of the private letter, and also to give a history of the Albany Regency for the last thirty years, as he has known them from Jackson's day to the present. In nine cases out of ten the fewer letter politicians write, either for publication or to private individuals, the better for them.

HUNTINGDON COUNTY.—The Peoples Party Convention at Huntingdon last week nominated the following ticket.—For Assembly, R. B. Wigton; Sheriff, John C. Watson; Treasurer, Henry T. White; Director, John W. Mattern; Co. Surveyor, J. F. Ramey; Co. Commissioner, M. F. Campbell.

The Democrats have nominated the following ticket—Assembly, J. Simpson Africa; Sheriff, George W. Speer; Treasurer, Jacob Miller; Director of the Poor, David Barrack; Commissioner, G. W. Galbraith; District Attorney, Samuel T. Brown; Surveyor, Robert McBurney; Auditor, N. K. Burket.

☞ The latest advices from Texas state that Gen. Sam Houston's majority for Governor over Hardin R. Runnels, Dem., will be about eight thousand.

A CORRECT VERDICT.—We are pleased to learn that the Coroner's jury who had the Schagticoke railroad slaughter under consideration have dared to call things by their proper names and have rendered a verdict in accordance with the facts in the case. They say that the bridge where the massacre took place was "rotten, unsafe, and known to be so:" and that the Superintendent and Directors of the road should be held responsible. May we not hope that they will be brought to strict account for thus knowingly jeopardizing the lives of all the passengers who have lately passed over the road, and finally hurrying a number of their fellow creatures off the stage of action with scarce a moment's warning.—The District Attorney, within whose jurisdiction this case has fallen, will not perform his duty, should he fail to act at once in the verdict and bring the matter before a grand jury, with a view to the indictment of the parties pointed out in the fault.

PEN AND SCISSORS.

☞ All the rage—pic nics.

☞ Getting reasonable—the price of vegetables.

☞ Preparing for extensive operations—the gas fitters down street.

☞ Handsome—the finishing touches now being put upon the Company's new building.

☞ Be sure and drop into the Ladies' Fair to-day, and likewise buy a ticket for the supper this evening.

☞ Commences to morrow—the Camp Meeting of Birmingham Circuit, about three miles below this place.

☞ A Darkey's Instructions for putting on a coat were:—"Fust de right arm, den de lef, and den gib one general conwulshun."

☞ "Now do take this medicine, wife, and I'll be hanged if it does'nt cure you." Oh, I will take it, then by all means, for it is sure to do good one way or the other."

☞ In view of the rotten bridges on the N. Y. railways, says the Boston Transcript, the managers of those corporations might announce that "Passengers would be despatched in the cars."

☞ We made a mistade in printing the posters for the Ladies' Fair, in stating that it closed with the supper this evening. It does not close until Friday evening, at which time a concert will be given.

☞ Interesting to Wives.—If you want to make a sober man a drunkard, give him a wife that will scold him every time that he comes home. If you would make a same man crazy, follow the same course.

☞ About the hardest case of frost-bitten wheat is related by the Detroit *Tribune*, of a farmer who sold fourteen acres of wheat the day after the June frost for $65. The buyer afterwards refused $400 for it.

☞ A young man named Householder, of Huntingdon, was almost instantly killed, on Monday evening week, by being thrown off and in front of a hand-car, on the Pa. R. R., near the above place.

☞ The State of South Carolina is taking a census, and in seventeen parishes there is a decrease of over 5,000 whites since 1855, while the blacks have largely increased. The Palmetto State will soon be Africanized.

☞ Young and tender—that duck which found its way into our pantry a few days since. Small favors thankfully received, &c. The donors will please consider our hat slightly elevated *a la* Prof. Gardner on his first appearance before an Altoona audience.

☞ Mons. Derate is having a dispute with Mons. Blondin, at Niagara. He offers to "fight Biondon on the rope, for $500." This will draw a crowd should Blondin accept. The fight, we imagine, will result in one blow, one clinch and two drowns. The world moves.

☞ "Ma, has Aunty got bees in her mouth?"—"No; why do you ask such a question?" "Because, that little man with a heap of hair on his face, cotched hold of her, and told her he was going to take the honey from her lips; and she said, Well make haste!"

☞ A notorious ruffian, known in Southwestern Arkansas as Jack Cade, was recently killed by a woman whose husband he had shot. The widow challenged him to fight a duel, and as the ruffian declined, she attacked him with a revolver, and lodged three balls in his body, one of which passed through his heart.

☞ A Duel with Knives.—A desperate fight came off several weeks since in Oregon, between a noted trapper named Arceau and an Indian "brave." They fought with knives, and were both terribly cut up. The trapper at last grappled with and threw his antagonist, and then cut his throat from ear to ear.

☞ Suicide.—Mr. Adam Hoffman, of Fermanagh township, Juniata county, committed suicide on Sunday afternoon last, by cutting his throat with a razor. He had been partially insane for several weeks previous to the committal of the rash act. He was a bachelor, and about 70 years of age.

☞ The Name of Washington.—Judge Daly, of New York, in the course of his decision, "in the matter of John Snook for change of name," remarked that the name of Washington was originally "Wessyngton," which signifies "a person dwelling on the meadow land, where a creek runs in from the sea."

☞ What His Father Did.—At an infant Sabbath school, I was reading the story of the Prodigal Son. When I came to the place where the poor ragged son reached his former home, and his father saw him "a great way off," I inquired what his father probably did. One of the smallest boys, with his little fist clinched, said: "I dono, but I dess he set de dog on him."

☞ Little boys sometimes say surprising things. A school teacher in Cincinnati gave to a class of such, as a subject for "composition," "The Ohio River," and one little fellow brought in the following:—"He was born at the creation. His father is the Allegheny, and his mother is the Monongahela. He is bigger than both his parents. It is not known when he will die."

☞ Attracting a Mail Contractor's Pay.—The auditor of the Postoffice Department, in response to inquiries, has notified a judgment creditor of a mail contractor in the West, who recently attached the funds placed by the Department in a Postmaster's hands to pay said contractor, that, under the decisions of the U. S. Supreme Court, the pay of an officer or employee of the general government can, in no case, be legally attached, even when in the hands of a third party before being paid over.

☞ The Spiritualists are building a hall in Perry county, Pennsylvania, for the purpose of holding a grand National Congress of Spiritualists, and forming a "heavenly circle in the other world to govern the spheres and circles there, and communicate with those on earth." The hall will be finished during this month, and the Congress will be held about the middle of next.

☞ It was suggested that something of this sort would be appropriate for an inscription on a stone erected to commemorate a railroad catastrophe:

Traveling at a speed insane,
Here train met and shatterd train.
Upward cars being rather late,
Downward cars declined to wait—
Dash, smash, crash, shrieks, yells and groans,
Scattered brains and splintered bones,
Forty killed and sixty lame,
Verdict—"Nobody to blame."

The Jews in America.

In a lecture delivered by Dr. Morris J. Franklin, in Providence, on Sunday evening, and reported in the Providence Press, the speaker said: The Jews of this country now number about 200,000. In New York city alone there are 40,000. The attention of the Jews in Europe is turned towards America on account of the persecutions to which they are subjected in some countries on the continent, and a rapid increase of their numbers here may be expected by immigration. Many Jews in this country are occupying prominent and influential positions in politics and business. Messrs. Yulee and Benjamin, of the United States Senate, and Messrs. Zollicoffer, Oliver, Philips and Hart, of the National House of Representatives, are numbered among the children of Abraham.—Instead of reading the Scriptures in the Hebrew tongue, understood only as the Rabbi interprets it, many now use the English version. These have introduced many reforms into their mode of worship—they have now their choirs, their organs, and their Sabbath Schools. The Hebrew Christians, the converted Jews, in this country, number three or four hundred, and of this number nearly one hundred are engaged in preaching the Gospel of Christianity, or in a course of study preparatory for doing so.

DESPERATE ROW IN ST. LOUIS.—The St. Louis papers give the details of a prize fight which took place on an island seven miles above Alton, on Tuesday, between Shanghai Connor, of St. Louis, and James Byrnes, of New Orleans. Two steamers transported the crowd from St. Louis to the battle-field. Near fifteen hundred persons assembled about the ring. Fourteen rounds were fought. On the last round Connor was struck while down, and the cry of "foul play" was raised, and Connor awarded the victor. A terrible row ensued. The Democrat says: "Stripped, bloody and ragged, Byrnes dared Connor to come out and finish the fight, which he declined. Then many of Connor's men rushed on shore and joined their comrades, and a scene of riot and murderous attack followed which baffles description. Knives were freely used; bottles, sticks and rocks were hurled, and at last a shot was fired. This was a signal for a general drawing of pistols, and some one hundred shots were rapidly fired.—Those who had not pistols rushed for their boats, which at the same time began backing off from the shore. There was then a heavy rush to get on board, and some forty persons were instantly in the river. Certain skiffmen pulled away in terror, leaving the victims to swim or drown, as they might. One or two fights actually occurred in the water. The swimmers at length scrambled on board, not knowing how many had sunk and been drowned. Probably three or four perished, at least."

THE SEA SERPENT.—*The Monster Caught.*—The Yarmouth (Mass.) *Register* says that the far-famed sea-serpent has lately visited that port, and was chased up a narrow creek and caught. He turned out to be a horse mackeral, measuring over eight feet in length and weighing 316 pounds. The *Register* says:—It is the opinion of experienced fishermen that this is the fish which has given rise to the belief in a sea-serpent. When it is running at its ordinary speed in search of prey it moves along just under the surface of the water, producing a wave which rises up in a series of corrugations for about one hundred feet in a straight line, before it falls off into the ordinary spreading wake produced by a boby moving through the water. This appearance in moderate weather so closely resembles that of a hugh serpent moving over the surface of the water that it is difficult, even for those accustomed to the appearance, to realize that it is nothing but a wave, and it is not strange that when seen for the first time, it should strike the beholder with terror.

CURE FOR HYDROPHOBIA.—Mr. Renatus Bachmann writes to *Albany Evening Journal* as follows:

"In perusing this morning's paper, I observed a case of hydrophobia, which thus far has been a stumbling block for physicians in general to overcome. I feel in duty bound, gentlemen, as I am in possession of an infallible remedy for that-most-to-be lamented disease, here to make it public, especially when attended with scarcely any expense, hoping those afflicted will make timely use of it:

"RECIPE.—Dissolve a pint of common table salt in a pint of boiling water, scarify the part affected freely, then apply the salt water with a cloth as warm as the patient can bear it, repeat the same for at least an hour."

"The same recipe has been successfully applied for the bite of rattlesnakes. I hope thus to be instrumental in rescuing human life."

☞ A few days since, as the train was leaving Fulton, on the Oswego road, a farmer attempted to cross the track ahead of it, with a wagon loaded with lumber; and not having the right calculation, the hind end of the wagon was struck by the locomotive, and the load, wagon and farmer were scattered about promiscously. The train was stopped as soon as possible, and backed up to the spot, the witnesses expecting to find the driver a corpse; but instead of that, they found him sitting on the fence, wiping the perspiration from his face, and all right exceptting being terribly frightened. On seeing the conductor and engineer approaching him, he exclaimed, "Boys, I guess I drove a leetle too high!"

DESPERATE JUMP OF A DRUNKEN MAN.—Says the Trenton *American*:—We witnessed on Saturday afternoon an attempt to break a neck, which, nine times out of ten, would have been completely successful. When the train for New York, at 5.15, was near the trestle work, we saw a man rush up to the conductor, and ask to have the train stopped in order that he might get off, as he wished to go up the Belvidere road, and had mistaken the train. The conductor told him that this was impossible, and that he must go to Princeton and take the train back. After some words the passenger turned around, and hurried through the car to the door in the rear. Seeing that he was very much excited, we watched his motions, and saw him step upon the lower step where he stood a moment until the train had passed a party of laborers at work upon the road, when he sprung off, the train at the time running at a speed of fifteen or twenty miles an hour. He alighted upon his feet, but scarcely touched the ground before he pitched head first in the ditch, and out of that by a backward summersault, and rolling over and over fetched up some ten feet from the track, in the meadow. The last we saw of him he was trying to get up. Of course the passengers who witnessed the ground and lofty tumbling were much alarmed, and the conductor was about to stop and run back to pick up the dead or mortally wounded man; however, on being told that there were laborers upon the spot, he concluded to go on and telegraph from Princeton to the agent at Trenton, who, on receiving the despatch, at once made inquiry as to the fate of the jumper, when he found that far from being killed, he had jumped up, set off on a run, and actually caught and jumped aboard the Belvidere train. So far as could be ascertained, he had not sustained the least injury.

LIFE-PRESERVING RAILROAD CAR.—The New York *Post* notices, among the latest inventions, a Life-Preserving RailRoad Car, made at Patterson, New Jersey. It is constructed entirely of iron, of strong iron braces and girders, and of iron panel pieces, so peculiarly and ingeniously put together, that it would seem to be impossible, by any amount of force, to bend or break it, or to do injury to it, even by rolling it down a precipice. The interior is finished off in the most elegant manner. Every panel has a fine papier-mache picture in it, representing some famous view or monument; the seats are capacious, and the ventilators are numerous and apparently efficient. The car, owing to the greater thinness of the iron sides, is eight inches wider than the narrow-guage cars usually are, and weighs less by a ton than a wooden car of the same dimensions. This is certainly a desideratum, for in proportion to numbers, the battle of Solferino was not more fatal in the destruction of human life, than some of the late railroad disasters.

A SEWING MACHINE MILLIONAIRE'S COACH.—A New York Sunday paper describes the family coach of Mr. Singer, the proprietor of the sewing machine, as follows:—This gigantic family coach is capable of carrying just double the number of passengers that custom has allotted to an omnibus. It is nearly eighteen feet in length, and contains a saloon elegantly fitted up with luxuriently cushioned seats, mirrors, &c., a coupe, intended for the servants, so arranged that it can be made into an entirely separate room, to be used as a smoking apartment, a recess for baggage, another for dogs, guns, fishing tackle, &c., when on sporting excursions, and other conveniences too numerous to enumerate. The body of the coach is painted bright yellow, and the interior trimmings are of the same color. It is built in the most substantial manner, combining the strength of the old English mail coach with the elegance and lavish recklessness of expense that distinguishes our fashionable turn-outs, and is the invention of its owner.

FRENCH INVASION OF ENGLAND.—The New York *Post* is ridiculing English fears of French invasion; even if invaded by Louis Napoleon, the editor argues that the British Lion has nothing to apprehend:—"An invasion would be a great calamity; the exposure of a commerce worth three hundred millions of pounds sterling a year to the hazards of war would alone be a great calamity; but the wooden walls of England are as numerous and impenetrable as they were in the days of the elder Napoleon: the military resources of England are more formidable: and the yeomen of England in case of an invasion, would be invincible by any that the continent could send against them, provided that the army could be landed, which it demonstrably could not be."

☞ From the New Orleans *Picayune* we learn that on the 16th ult., a melancholy accident occurred near Brandon, Miss. A Mrs. Jackson had occasion to go, during the night, to the window of the room in which, with her husband, she had been sleeping. While engaged in arranging the blind or shutter, the husband awoke and seized the gun, supposing that some felonious intruder was in the room. Mrs. Jackson advanced toward the bed, although her husband called out to her to stop or he should fire, and he actually discharged his musket at her, and she at once fell dead. He then turned to the place where his wife was lying beside him, to tell her that he had killed some one, when, not finding her, the truth flashed upon him that he had shot his own wife.

JUNIATA CO.—John I. Hart mysteriously disappeared from his home in Tuscarora township, about two months ago, and about one week ago intelligence was received by his friends that he had been drowned in Texas. A bundle of clothes and a carpet bag found on the bank of the river, containing some papers revealing his name and the residence of his family, led to the discovery that he had been drowned. He was at one time considered very wealthy—carrying on a very extensive farming and tanning business, but owing to some misfortune he was last spring compelled to appoint assignees, and owing to the fact preying upon his mind, it is supposed that he was partially deranged when he left his home.

A HARD KNOCK.—A day or two since a couple of men were coming round a curve, on the Allegheny Valley Railroad, in a hand-car, when they saw a man on the track. They hallowed to him, but he being deaf did not hear, and they could not stop in time. The crank struck him, and knocked him off the track senseless. They were much frightened, thinking that he was dead. One of them ran and filled his oil-cloth cap full of water and poured it on him, which revived him. He got up, rubbed himself, and his first words were, "Well, that was a d——d bad knock you fellows gave me." He then walked off apparently well again.

INDIAN BATTLES.—The steamer Spead Eagle, with 75 U. S. soldiers from Fort Randall, arrived at St. Joseph on Friday evening, from a point 850 miles above the mouth of Yellow Stone.—She reports a sanguinary battle between the Sioux and Arkansas, on the 22d July, which resulted in the loss of 28 of the former and 16 of the latter. Another battle is anticipated, which will result in the extinction of the weaker party. The Spread Eagle went 550 miles higher up the Minnesota than any boat before.

☞ At the present time, it is said, Adams' Express employs 3,782 men; that it has 972 agencies, and that its messengers travel daily 46,162 miles on railroads and steamers; a distance equal to once round the globe and two-thirds round it a second time.

THE MAD STONE.—We condense the following article from the Linn county, (Iowa). *Register*:

"The Rev. Mr. Cleghorn, of Cower's Ferry, Cedar county, had one of his sons bitten by a mad dog on the 2d inst., and also the horse upon which the boy was riding at the time.—Having seen the account which was published a few days ago of the "mad stone" in the possession of Mr. Evans, of Paris, in this county, he immediately started thither with his boy and horse. The stone was soaked in warm milk and water, and then applied to the wound. It adhered with great tenacity—so much so as to cause intense pain for a few minutes. After a short time it seemed to fill itself and dropped off. After being submerged in the milk and water again—during which a green, offensive scum would arise from the stone—it was again applied. After the fourth time it would not adhere any more, and Mr. Evans pronounced him cured. It was then applied to the wound on the horse, to which it adhered three times only. To make sure of the matter, however, Mr. C. remained over night, and tried it again in the morning, but it would have no effect on either the boy or the horse. It seems to be a fact well attested that this stone will not adhere to any wound not made by a rabid animal, and if so, must confound the wisdom of the most philosophical."

BEARING THE MARKS TOO PLAINLY.—A man, claiming to be a Milanese merchant, but suspected as an Austrian spy, was brought before a court-martial at Brescia. He defended himself coolly, though professing to have lost the papers which would confirm his report of himself. Suddenly the colonel presiding said,—

"Step forward a little! I cannot hear well."

The man obeyed.

"My friend," said the colonel, "you stepped with the left foot first, your arms close to your sides, and the little finger against the seam of the pantaloon. You are a soldier in disguise. We know you now." The poor fellow confessed.

ALABAMA "BULL PENS."—It seems by the annexed, for which the Columbus (Ga.) *Sun* is responsible, that there are "Bull Pens" in Alabama as well as South Carolina:

"We understand penning voters was extensively practiced in the recent election, by both political parties, in the neighboring county of Russell, over in Alabama; and we have heard one instance related where some voters escaped, and were tracked up by dogs and made to come back and perform. They are said to be about three hundred floaters in that county who have to be cared for this way at every election."

☞ Death has been very busy among the printers of New Orleans. Five of those connected with the *Picayune* alone have been carried off since November last. In an editorial on the subject that paper says: "But the noble sentiment of charity and brotherly feeling that ever characterizes the printers, in whatever part of the world they may be found, in some degree compensates for those losses; and although there is no rule that calls for such action on the part of the printers, as a body, the widows' and orphans' griefs are often assuaged by the practical kindness and benevolence of the friends and associates of the loved and lost."

A BIG BUSINESS.—Over one hundred car londs of wheat arrived here yesterday on the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago railroad, from Chicago, Plymouth and Warsaw. This would be an aggregate of 80,000 or 40,000 bushels. A portion of it was consigned to Allegheny and Pittsburgh, but the largest amount went further east.—*Pitts. Chronicle of the 16th inst.*

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June 16, 1859-1y.

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Persons wishing to purchase such goods would do well to call and examine our stock before making their purchases. We will also sell all articles in our Store at greatly reduced prices, such as Hats, Caps, Bonnets, Boots and Shoes, &c., &c. [Aug-4, 1859.

NOTICE.—ALL PERSONS KNOWING themselves indebted to the firm of Runyan & Sanford, will please call and settle their accounts without delay, as ample time has been given. In thirty days hereafter, all accounts unsettled will be placed in the hands of a proper person for collection.

Altoona, July 28, 1859.-3t RUNYAN & SANFORD.

The undersigned feels grateful for the patronage heretofore bestowed on the firm and himself by the citizens of Altoona, and expects still to serve the public with all kinds of meat as usual. All persons failing to settle their accounts every thirty days, must not expect longer indulgence. My capital is limited, and long credits will soon place me where others are that have indulged so much credit to their ruin. MARTIN RUNYAN.

ALTOONA NURSERY.—The Subscriber would respectfully inform the public that he has now on hand at his Nursery, various kinds of *FRUIT TREES*, ready for transplanting this Fall, consisting of *Apples, Peach, Plum, Prune, Grape and Apricot Trees*, grafted in the root. All trees warranted.

Altoona, July 14, '59-3m R. R. TAYLOR.

THE HAMMONTON FARMER.—A newspaper devoted to Literature and Agriculture, also setting forth full accounts of the new settlement of Hammonton, in New Jersey, can be subscribed for at only 25 cents per annum.

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7-tf.] H. FETTINGER.

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June 30, 1859.—3m

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May 5-1859-tf THOMAS ELWAY

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Altoona, May 27, 1859.-1y] JOHN BOWMAN

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July 14, 1859. O. W. KIMBALL.

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Altoona June 2, 1859.-3m MATHIAS OTTO.

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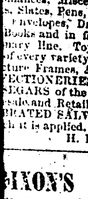
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LOCAL ITEMS.

DISTRESSING ACCIDENT.—*Woman and Child Burned—The Woman Since Dead—The Child Likely to Recover.*—It is our painful duty to-day to record an accident, the details of which are sufficient to chill the blood in the veins of the stoutest, and cause all to turn with feelings of horror from the contemplation of a scene such as must have been presented to those who witnessed it. It appears that on Friday evening last, the wife of Mr. Wm. Hagerty, residing some 3 miles below this place, filled a lamp with burning fluid, which was said to be non-explosive, and after lighting it, set it on a table in a room, in which was her youngest child, and turned to go out. Immediately after setting down the lamp it exploded and set fire to the clothes of the child.—This alarmed Mrs. Hagerty so much that her presence of mind forsook her, and instead of wrapping the child in her own clothes or attempting to smother the flames, she picked it up and ran out of the house, thus fanning the flames. As soon as she came out of the house she was observed by Mr. Barker, a neighbor, who immediately ran to her relief, and snatching the child from her, stripped off its clothes as speedily as possible, but not in time to save it from being shockingly burned. This done he proceeded to the relief of Mrs. Hagerty, whose clothes were in flames, but she refused to let him tear them off. After repeated attempts, however, he succeeded in divesting her of all which had taken fire, but she was so much burned that it was impossible for her to live.—A messenger was immediately despatched for a physician. Dr. Christy answered the call, and to him we are indebted for our information.—When he arrived, he found the woman out of her mind, doubtless from the pain she was then suffering. On examination he found that all the skin, from her neck to her knees, was entirely burned off, and that at her waist, where her skirts had been fastened, her abdomen was burned almost through. Her breasts were so much burned that it was almost impossible for the Dr. to dress them, and her hands and fingers were a perfect crisp. The Dr immediately applied the usual remedies in such cases and administered opiates which served to ease her pain and restore her to sensibility. She lingered until Sunday morning last, when death put an end to her sufferings. The child, which is about two years old, was severely burned on the left side and thigh, but not so deeply as was its mother. The Dr. thinks that if inflamation can be kept down it will recover. At the time of the accident there was no person about the house except Mrs. Hagerty and the child, although we understand Mr. Hagerty has several children, some of whom are grown up.

DISTRESSING ACCIDENT.—William Pruner, a citizen of this place, lost his life on Friday of last week, by an accident so strangely sudden and frightful as to startle the whole community, causing a general silent pang of grief. He left home in the morning coach for Bald Eagle Furnace—left full of youth, bright hope and jubilant joy. Playfully bidding his wife "good-bye," as the stage rolled away, with the remark that he would not be back for two weeks, he took his last stage ride, thinking not, nor once dreaming of harm or ill. To make the sad and fatal reverse which awaited him, still more terrible by contrast, he was in an unusually humorous and pleasant mood all the way going out to his destination, and all the time preceding the accident—so much so, indeed, that it was remarked by his companions. Having despatched his business at Bald Eagle Furnace, his first thought was to walk back to town; but, seeing an acquaintance going by with a wagon-load of shingles, he engaged a seat for himself and two companions. He took a seat on the fore end of the load of shingles, with his feet hanging down, whilst his friends sat at the side. The wagon had not gone more than a hundred yards, when, moving slowly, and without any apparent or sensible jolt, the shingles on which he was sitting gave way; having no foothold, he fell to the ground, and, before he was observed by the driver, the front wheel passed over his body! One of his companions saw him fall, and immediately shouted to the driver, but not in time to have the wagon stopped. He was carried to a house near by; medical aid was procured, and every attention shown which kindness and inexpressible pity could suggest. But human aid was vain. Death had already set his inevitable seal upon his brow: death gazed from his eye; friendship and affection softly pillowing and bolstering his return home, could not save him; and when the darkness of evening began to gather, he was passing through "the valley of the shadow of death." His physical sufferings were necessarily beyond expression—beyond possible conception; made doubly acute, too, by the fact that he was fully sensible until within a short time of his dissolution. It is a kind of mournful solace to know that he bore his extreme sufferings with heroic fortitude, uttering no word of complaint or repining. The few words he spoke disclosed a distinct knowledge of his approaching death. His solicitude seemed to be not for himself; but the thought of his dear wife and infant child seemed to snap his very heart-strings. She mourned as only a young wife can mourn—with a deep, wild, despairing, inconsolable grief.—*Tyrone Star.*

PRESBYTERIAN COLONY.—We learn by the last Hollidaysburg *Register* that the project of a Presbyterian Colony, to locate somewhere in the West where a sufficient body of land can be had for its accommodation, has been started in that place, and is progressing in a most encouraging way. One hundred families, at least, are desired to join in the project. Fifty thousand acres of land, in a very desirable locality, it is understood can be obtained at Government price for a colony of this description. The project contemplates a joint stock fund to pay for the land, each subscriber to be entitled to the amount of his money in land. No settler is wanted who is not willing to adopt and practice judicious temperance principles. Mr. J. A. Crawford, of Hollidaysburg, is Corresponding Secretary.

☞ The officious official at Altoona made but little capital by his impertinent interference with one of our City Fathers. Had he accepted the invitation to visit the delegation at the cars, he might have fared the worst for the handling which he would have met with there. —*Pittsburgh Tri-ue Press.*

We re-publish the above for the purpose of "putting the saddle on the right horse," as, since the publication of our last paper, we have found out who the "officious official at Altoona" is, and also in what his "impertinent interference" with one of the "*City Fathers*" of Pittsburgh consisted. The facts are simply as follows:—It appears that a few of the "City Fathers" of Pittsburgh constituted themselves a committee to accompany the City Council of Cincinnati, on the occasion of their recent visit to this place. On the morning after their arrival here, the "City Father" of Pittsburgh, alluded to in the above extract, in company with a companion, stepped into a confectionary and notion store up street, to purchase some *torpedoes.* The proprietor of the establishment being sick, a lad some 10 or 12 years old was in attendance. After selecting a quantity of the articles desired, the "*City Father*" of Pittsburgh attempted a violation of a law of the State by offering a foreign $1,00 bill (whether genuine or not the boy could not tell) in payment for the *torpedoes.* The boy hesitated to take the note, and while they were quibling about it, our excellent Constable, Joe Ely, happened to step in, and upon learning the matter in dispute, warned the boy, as he was in duty bound to do, not to take the note. Thereupon the "*City Father*" of Pittsburgh pulled out the change and paid the boy, after which he addressed himself to Constable Ely, and (as we have been informed by a gentleman of undoubted veracity, who was present) delivered himself of a volley of invectives, such as might alone be heard at a club meeting of "Dead-Rabbits" or "Plug Uglies." From this circumstance, the gentleman referred to conceived the idea that these men—one of whom it since turns out is one of the "City Fathers" of Pittsburgh—were blacklegs, burglars, pickpockets or members of some other profession of like character, and would bear watching, and accordingly suggested to Constable Ely that he had better keep an eye on them while they remained in town, which suggestion was duly acted upon and the manoeuvres of the "*City Father*" of Pittsburgh and his companion duly overseen until they took their departure. As to the intimation thrown out that our Constable would have fared the worst for the handling he would have met with had he accepted the invitation to visit the delegation at the cars, we have only to say that had an attempt been made to handle him, the "*City Father*" of Pitsburgh and his backers would thereby have obtained a fine opportunity to visit and inspect the interior workmanship of our "Lockup" at their leisure. If Pittsburgh has many such "*City Fathers*" we do not wonder that she has such a hopeful set of sons.

READ, YOUNG MEN.—Horace Mann, in speaking of the utility of libraries says:—"If one of a caravan, in crossing the Arabian desert, should accidently descry a fountain at a distance, in the broad waste, and, stealing to it unperceived by the rest of the company, should slake his own thirst with its sweet waters, and then leave the stream to flow uselessly away, and to be absorbed and lost in the barren sands, without calling upon his companions to come and cool their parched lips with the delicious draught—with what epithet would men stigmatise the inhumanity of the deed? Let him, who, from the accident of birth or of circumstances, has tasted the satisfactions and the delights, and has experienced the utility of knowledge, but does nothing to confer upon his fellow beings the blessings which he has enjoyed, answer the question." We will take the opposite of this and add:—Should this man inform his companions that he had found a spring of pure water, wide enough and deep enough to supply them with nourishment for the whole of the journey, and a number of the party would refuse to draw nigh to the spring and fill their pitchers, and would content themselves with begging or stealing a limited supply from those who had been more provident—with what epithet would men stigmatize such consumate folly? The cases are parallel. Let the man who drinks daily at the fountain of knowledge in the desert of life, not suffer its copious waters to flow wastefully away, without calling upon his fellow travellers in the journey to drink of a stream that is abundant for all; and let the traveller thus hailed, not be foolish enough to pass by the stream without stopping to partake thereof and securing a supply for future use. Application—let the members of the Altoona Mechanics' Library and Reading Room Association seek to add to their numbers, and let those who have not yet entered the Association embrace the first opportunity to have their names enrolled therein.

LADY FIREMEN.—Now don't imagine, ladies, that we intend you shall run 'wid der mersheen,' not at all; we merely wish to notice that a number of ladies in Harrisburgh have become contributing members of one of the Fire companies of that place, thereby proving a valuable auxiliary to the company; and we would suggest that such action on the part of the ladies of this place would soon bring about the proper equipment of the Fire company recently organized. Will the gentlemen accept of the ladies on such terms, and will the ladies join? Both, we think, will answer "I."

S. OF T. PIC NIC.—The members and Lady Visitors of Altoona Division, Sons of Temperance, will hold a pic nic in Beale's Woods, on the Branch Railroad, to-day (Thursday.) The members of the Order and those privileged to attend, will meet at the Division room at 8 o'clock this morning and proceed from thence to the grove. Baskets of provisions, &c., will be left in charge of the committee, at the Division room, who will see to having them conveyed to the grove. We hope to see a full turn out.

S. S. PIC NICS.—The Baptist and Lutheran Sunday Schools have each held pic nics within the last week, but as we were not present at either, we can not speak knowingly thereof.—We venture the assertion, however, that they were grand affairs, characteristic of Altoona.

DISCOVERY OF A CAVE.—We understand that a cave was discovered, last week, on the ridge back of Chimney Rocks. Several young men of this place, attempted to explore it, but found the experiment rather dangerous. One or two of the party ventured down the opening, perpendicularly, by means of ropes, to the depth of forty or fifty feet, but could discover no side opening. They describe the bottom of the cave, or rather hole, as being about twelve feet in diameter, the sides being ornamented with beautiful stalactites—numerous specimens of which they brought with them. Another and more thorough exploration is talked of. We apprehend that it will prove to be no great shakes.—*Standard.*

GOOD TIMES.—The "good time coming," which has been so long delayed, we think is now at hand, at least so far as a fair supply of the necessaries of life and fair prices are concerned. Potatoes have lately come down from $1,50 to 80 cts. per bushel, and a strong probability that they will come down one-half more ere long. Flour has fallen $2 to $2,50 per bbl. and will likely fall $2 more. Apples are apples again, and not lumps of gold. Corn now commands 10 and 12 cts. per dozen, with a prospect of a further decline. Hurrah for the "good times." Printers can now live like other folks.

EXAMINATION OF TEACHERS.—The examination of teachers and applicants for the public schools of this place, came off in West Ward School House, on Saturday last. There were over twenty teachers present, most of whom passed muster in a creditable manner. The Directors met immediately after the close of the examination to select teachers for the coming session, but we have not yet been furnished with a list of those selected. The schools are to open on the first Monday in September and continue open ten months.

LADIES' FAIR.—The Ladies' Fair for the benefit of St. Luke's Protestant Episcopal Church, is now open in the Library Room, and should be visited by everybody. We have not yet had time to visit it, but are informed that it is gotten up with much taste, and that the ladies are deserving of great praise and encouragement.—The supper noticed in our last to come off on Friday evening, has been changed to this (Thursday) evening. Tickets 50 cents.

A LUXURY.—Take a dozen or two of ears of corn, (the sweet varieties preferred,) husk, and, without boiling, grate off the grains. Stir into this about two tablespoonsful of flour for every dozen ears, and also an egg previously well beaten, and a little salt and very little sugar. If the corn be sweet, about two tablespoonful to every dozen ears. Let the whole be well stirred, and baked in a greased tin pan, for an hour, in a hot oven. Then eat with fresh butter or cream.

DRAMATIC ASSOCIATION.—The Young Mens' Dramatic Association, of this place, gave two Entertainments in Shultz's Hall, on Monday and Tuesday evenings last. This Association appears to have now become one of the fixed institutions of the place, and its repeated entertainments is an evidence that they are appreciated by the public and remunerative to the members.

U. J. JONES, Esq.—We are pleased to learn that this gentleman has been offered and has accepted the post of assistant editor of the Lancaster *Express.* Such assistance as he will render cannot easily be secured. The *Express* must now increase in popularity.

LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, August, 16th, 1859.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—The prevailing epidemic in this place for some days past, has been the Camp-meeting fever. On Sabbath last your correspondent also became affected with it, and paid a visit to the one now in progress in the vicinity of Williamsburg.

We did not leave this place until late in the morning, consequently our arrival in Williamsburg was not until the morning services were over. In the afternoon, however, we wended our way towards the Camp Ground, which was between a half and three-quarters of a mile from the town. We found on the ground between 30 and 40 tents, and quite a large assemblage of persons. The afternoon sermon was preached by Rev. Thomas Barnhart, of Williamsburg, and was a funeral discourse upon the death of the Rev. Stevens, of Williamsburg. He was listened to with great attention. The evening sermon was preached by the Rev. Mellick, to a large congregation. The subject of his discourse was the certainty of a final judgment, and was discussed in an able and eloquent manner. After the sermon, those persons desiring prayer were invited to the altar. We hope that the effort that is now making may be crowned with success and that many will be brought into the "marvellous light and liberty of the gospel."

In the death of Rev. Stevens, which occurred on last Saturday morning, the community of Williamsburg has lost one of its oldest and most respected members. He had been for a number of years past a resident of that place, where he was honored and beloved by all who came within the circle of his acquaintance. At the period of his death he was well advanced in years, being somewhat upwards of eighty years of age. During a long life of active and diligent labor in the cause of his Master, he walked at all times worthy of the profession which he had chosen. Of late years his increasing age prevented him from preaching the gospel to his fellow-creatures, yet in all his trials and afflictions his faith in the promises of his God was strong and unwavering. His remains were interred in the Methodist Grave Yard on Sabbath, followed by a large concourse of friends and acquaintances.

Our visit to Williamsburg was of very short duration, consequently we cannot give a full description of the place. We will say, however, that during our stay, we were well satisfied that the people of Williamsburg are very hospitable and sociable—that its citizens are active and energetic, and that the town can boast of some very handsome young ladies. We trust we shall soon be permitted to visit there again.

Yours, respectfully, H.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

DR. HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS,
AND
DR. HOOFLAND'S BALSAMIC CORDIAL,

The great standard medicines of the present age, have acquired their great popularity only through years of trial. Unbounded satisfaction is rendered by them in all cases; and the people have pronounced them worthy.

Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Debility of the Nervous System, Diseases of the Kidneys,

and all diseases arising from a disordered liver or weakness of the stomach and digestive organs, are speedily and permanently cured by the GERMAN BITTERS.

The **Balsamic Cordial** *has acquired a reputation surpassing that of any similar preparation extant. It will cure,* WITHOUT FAIL, *the most severe and long-standing*

Cough, Cold, or Hoarseness, Bronchitis, Influenza, Croup, Pneumonia, Incipient Consumption,

and has performed the most astonishing cures ever known of

Confirmed Consumption.

A few doses will also at once check and cure the most severe **Diarrhœa** *proceeding from* COLD IN THE BOWELS.

These medicines are prepared by Dr. C. M. JACKSON & Co., *No.* 418 *Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa., and are sold by druggists and dealers in medicines everywhere, at* 75 *cents per bottle. The signature of* C. M. JACKSON *will be on the outside wrapper of each bottle.*

In the Almanac published annually by the proprietors, called EVERYBODY'S ALMANAC, *you will find testimony and commendatory notices from all parts of the country. These Almanacs are given away by all our agents.*

☞ For sale, in Altoona, by A. Roush and G. W. Kessler, and by all Druggists. [may 19, '59-1y

Dalley's Magical Pain Extractor.

In all diseases inflammation more or less predominates—now to allay inflammation strikes at the root of disease—hence an immediate cure.

DALLEY'S MAGICAL PAIN EXTRACTOR, and nothing else, will allay inflammation at once, and make a certain cure.

DALLEY'S MAGICAL PAIN EXTRACTOR will cure the following among a great catalogue of diseases: Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Chafes, Sore Nipples, Corns, Bunions, Bruises, Sprains, Bites, Poison, Chilblains, Bites, Scrofula, Ulcers, Fever Sores, Felons, Ear Ache, Piles, Sore Eyes, Gout, Swellings, Rheumatism, Scald Head, Salt Rheum, Baldness, Erysipelas, Ringworm, Barbers' Itch, Small Pox, Measles, Rash, &c., &c.

To some it may appear incredulous that so many diseases should be reached by one article: such an idea will vanish when reflection points to the fact, that the salve is a combination of ingredients, each and every one applying a perfect antidote to its opposite disorder.

DALLEY'S MAGICAL PAIN EXTRACTOR In its effects is magical, because the time is so short between disease and a permanent cure; and it is an extractor, as it draws all disease out of the affected part, leaving nature as perfect as before the injury. It is scarcely necessary to say that no house, work-shop, or manufactory should be one moment without it.

No Pain Extractor is genuine unless the box has upon it a steel plate engraving, with the name of Henry Dalley, Manufacturer.

Sold by G. W. Kessler, Altoona; George A. Jacobs, Hollidaysburg; and by all the Druggists and patent medicine dealers throughout the United States and Canadas.

Principal Depot, 165 Chambers street, New York.
Nov. 11, 1858-1y C. F. CHACE.

A Voice From Virginia.

CABIN POINT, Surry Co., Va.

Dr. Seth S. Hance:—I was in Baltimore in April, 1854, and from a paper I received of yours was induced to buy a box of your Pills, recommended as a sovereign cure for the Epileptic Fits. At that time one of my servants had been afflicted with fits about twelve years. When reaching home, I commenced with the Pills according to directions. I do not think she has had one since. My wife, though, is somewhat induced to believe she may have had one only. Enclosed you will find five dollars, for which you will please forward me two boxes. I suppose you can forward them by mail. Your compliance will oblige me. Yours respectfully. M. P. SLEDGE.

Dr. Hance's Epileptic Pills are also a sovereign remedy for every modification of nervous disease. The nervous sufferer, whether tormented by the acute, physical agony of neuralgia, tic doloreaux, or ordinary headache, afflicted with vague terrors, weakened by periodical fits, threatened with paralysis, borne down and dispirited by that terrible lassitude which proceeds from a lack of nervous energy, or experiencing any other pain or disability arising from the unnatural condition of the wonderful machinery which connects every member with the source of sensation, motion and thought—derives immediate benefit from the use of those pills, which at once calms, invigorates, and regulates the shattered nervous organization.

Sent to any part of the country by mail, free of postage. Address Seth S. Hance, 108 Baltimore street, Baltimore, Md. Price, one box, $3; two do., $5; twelve do., $24.

Diseases of the Liver.

When the celebrated Dr. Rush declared that drunkenness was a disease, he enunciated a truth which the experience and observation of medical men is every day confirming. The many apparently insane excesses of those who indulge in the use of spirituous liquors, may be thus accounted for. The true cause of conduct, which is taken for infatuation, is very frequently a diseased state of the Liver. No organ in the human system, when deranged, produces a more frightful catalogue of diseases. And if, instead of applying remedies to the manifestations of disease, as is too often the case, physicians would prescribe with a view to the original cause, fewer deaths would result from diseases induced by a deranged state of the Liver. Three-fourths of the diseases enumerated under the head of Consumption, have their seat in a diseased Liver. Dr. M'Lane's celebrated Liver Pills, prepared by Fleming Bros., are a certain cure.

☞ Purchasers will be careful to ask for DR. M'LANE'S CELEBRATED VERMIFUGE, manufactured by FLEMING BROS. of Pittsburgh, Pa. All other Vermifuges in comparison are worthless. Dr. M'Lane's genuine Vermifuge, also his celebrated Liver Pills, can now be had at all respectable drug stores. *None genuine unless the signature of* FLEMING BROS.

HAIR DYE—HAIR DYE—HAIR DYE.

WM. A. BATCHELOR'S HAIR DYE!

The Original and Best in the World!

All others are mere imitations, and should be avoided, if you wish to escape ridicule.

GRAY, RED, or RUSTY HAIR. Dyed instantly to a beautiful and natural Brown or Black, without the least injury to the Hair or Skin.

Fifteen Medals and Diplomas have been awarded to Wm. A. Batchelor since 1839, and over 80,000 applications have been made to the hair of his patrons of his famous Dye.

WM. A. BATCHELOR'S HAIR DYE produces a color not to be distinguished from nature, and is WARRANTED not to injure in the least, however long it may be continued, and the ill effect of Bad Dyes remedied; the Hair invigorated for Life by this Splendid Dye.

Made, sold or applied (in 9 private rooms) at the Wig Factory, 233 Broadway, New York.

Sold by Druggists in Altoona, and by Druggists in all cities and towns of the United States.

☞ The Genuine has the name and address upon a steel plate engraving on four sides of each Box, of

WM. A. BATCHELOR,
Nov. 18, 1858-1y 233 Broadway, New York.

IMPORTANT TO FEMALES—DR CHEESEMAN'S PILLS.—The combination of ingredients in these Pills are the result of a long and extensive practice. They are mild in their operation, and certain in correcting all irregularities, painful menstruations, removing all obstructions, whether from cold or otherwise, headache, pain in the side, palpitation of the heart, disturbed sleep, which always arise from interruption of nature, inducing with certainty periodical regularity. Warranted purely vegetable, and free from anything injurious to life or health. Explicit directions, which should be read, accompany each box. Price $1. Sent by mail by enclosing $1 to any authorized Agent.

B. B. HUTCHINGS, General Agent for the United States, 165 Chambers street, New York.

To whom all Wholesale orders should be addressed.

Sold by G. W. Kessler, Altoona; Geo. A. Jacobs, Hollidaysburg; and by all Druggists in the United States.

Call on the Agent and get a pamphlet free.
Nov. 18, 1858-1y.

TOOTHACHE.

This disease can be cured by DR. KEYSER'S TOOTHACHE REMEDY, prepared by him in Pittsburgh, Pa., which is put up in bottles and sold at 25 cents each. It is an excellent medicine, when diluted, for spongy and tender gums, and is worth ten times its price to all who need it. Sold here by G. W. Kessler. [Dec. 9, 1858-1y.

WIGS—WIGS—WIGS.

BATCHELOR'S WIGS AND TOUPEES surpass all.—They are elegant, light, easy and durable.

Fitting to a charm—no turning up behind—nè shrinking off the head; indeed, this is the only Establishment where those things are properly understood and made.

Nov. 18, 1858-1y 233 Broadway, New York.

MARRIED.

On the 10th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Bradley, Mr. ADAM SHANEFELTER, of this place, to Miss MARY ELIZABETH CLARK, of Newry.

At the house of Mr. R. M. Martin, in Williamsburg, on the 14th inst., by Isaac Yingling, Esq., Mr. WILLIAM G. BUTTS to Miss SARAH ANN GEISER, both of Catharine township.

On Tuesday, the 2d instant, at the residence of Col. W. K. Piper, in Ebensburg, by the Rev. D. Harbison, Col. W. K. CARR, of Wilmore, to Miss MARY R. FLETCHER, formerly of Bedford.

DIED.

On the 11th inst., at Eldorado Station, Mr. WILLIAM YOHN, aged 75 years, 4 months and 11 days.

NOTICE.—THERE WILL BE A public examination of Teachers for Logan township, on TUESDAY, AUGUST 30th. The Examination will commence at 9 o'clock A. M., in the Collinsville School House. Each applicant must be present at that hour and be provided with paper and pencil. Ten teachers are required to supply the schools.

A. LOUDON, Sec'y.
Logan Township, August 18th, 1859-2t.

$800.—THE SUBSCRIBERS wish to employ an active reliable man in each section of the State to travel and take orders for

SEGARS & TOBACCO,

by samples. Will pay a salary of $800 to $800 per year, payable monthly. For samples and particulars apply to, or address, inclosing stamp for return postage.

CARY & SMITH.
Aug. 18-5t] Tobacconists, 212 Pearl St. New York.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers at Private Sale the HOUSE and LOT now occupied by her, on the corner of Adaline and Julia streets, East Altoona. The House is a good Two-Story Frame Building, containing a Hall, Parlor, Dining-Room and Kitchen on the first floor, four good sleeping rooms on the second floor, & a finished Attic. The lot is in good order.

Persons wishing to view the premises and obtain further information will call upon the subscriber.

MARGT. M. McCRUM.
Altoona, Aug. 11th, 1859-tf.

A GOOD BUSINESS CHANCE!—$60 per month and all expenses paid. AGENTS wanted in every town and county throughout the United States, to engage in a light and easy business, in which the above profit may certainly be realized. For particulars address with stamp, Dr. O. PHELPS BROWN,
Aug. 11. No. 21 Grand St., Jersey City, N. J.

FOR SALE—TWO HOUSES AND LOTS, situate in West Ward, Altoona. The one is a good two-story plank House, with a basement Kitchen. The other is a one-and-a-half story Frame House. For particulars inquire of JOS. WEAVER, Sr.
August 4, 1859.-3t

FOR SALE—A LARGE TWO STORY DWELLING HOUSE, with a Kitchen attached, a good Well of water at the door, and other conveniences. From its size and location it is well calculated for a Boarding House. It will be sold on very easy terms. Any person wishing to view the house and premises will be shown them by calling on the subscriber at the Store of R. H. McCormick, or on the premises, which adjoin the Store.

Aug. 4, 1859.-3t A. McCORMICK.

W. R. BOYERS,
ATTORNEY & COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

Will practice in the several Courts of Blair, Cambria, Huntingdon and Indiana counties.

Particular attention given to the collection of Claims, and prompt remittances made.

He speaks the German language fluently.

☞ Office, for the present, with J. M. Cherry, Esq., opposite Kessler's Drug Store.
Altoona, August 4, 1859.—tf

FOR RENT.—THE STORE-ROOM heretofore occupied by H. Tuck, on the corner of Main and Caroline streets, is now offered for rent. Inquire of the subscriber. C. C. SHANNON.
July 28th tf.

CAUTION.—ALL PERSONS ARE hereby notified not to purchase or sell any lager beer kegs with the stamp of the ALTOONA BREWERY thereon, as such kegs never have been and never will be sold from the Brewery. All kegs containing said stamp will be claimed and taken, wherever found, by the proprietors of the Brewery to whom they belong.

July 28th 1859-tf. WILHELM & BRO.

SELLING OFF AT COST
OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF
SUMMER GOODS.
Give us a call and secure GREAT BARGAINS in
BOOTS AND SHOES.
We will continue for FOUR WEEKS to sell the balance of our Stock of Summer Goods
AT COST!
to make room for an early Fall Stock.

The Peoples' Cheap Shoe Store,
Virginia St., two doors below Superintendent's Office.
Altoona, July 28, 1859. C. W. KIMBALL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Book Accounts and Notes of Dr. C. J. Hirst, and also of the late firm of Hirst & Good, are left in my hands for collection, where all persons knowing themselves indebted will make payment.

Altoona, July 14.-tf JACOB GOOD, J. P.

HOTEL FOR RENT.—THE HOTEL property situate on Rail Road Street immediately above the Pennsylvania Railroad Ware House, heretofore occupied by Matthias Otto, is offered for rent. It is a good two-story frame building, with nine bed-rooms, a dining-room forty feet long, a bar-room, parlor and kitchen.

The house fronts thirty-six feet on Rail Road Street and runs back fifty-eight feet. There is a well of good water, a good stable and all necessary out-buildings on the premises. For further particulars apply to the undersigned, next door to the above property.

July 28, 1859-3t. MRS. GRADY.

PLUMBING, GAS FITTING AND GAS FIXTURES.—GEO. A. OGDESBY, *Practical Gas Fitter and Plumber,* from Philadelphia, has opened a Gas Fitting and Plumbing establishment in Brant's Row, three doors below the Post Office.

He will be pleased to attend to all orders in his line with promptness, neatness and durability.

☞ All work warranted.
Altoona, August 4, 1859.-1m*

HAIR, TOOTH & NAIL BRUSHES, Combs, Fancy Cutlery, Pure Mountain Cakes, &c. for sale by A. ROUSH.

BOERHAVE'S
HOLLAND BITTERS

THE CELEBRATED HOLLAND REMEDY FOR
DYSPEPSIA,
DISEASE OF THE KIDNEYS,
LIVER COMPLAINT,
WEAKNESS OF ANY KIND
FEVER AND ACUE,

And the various affections consequent upon a disordered *STOMACH OR LIVER.*

Such as Indigestion, Acidity of the Stomach, Colicky Pains, Heartburn, Loss of Appetite, Despondency, Costiveness, Blind and Bleeding Piles. In all Nervous, Rheumatic and Neuralgic Affections, it has in numerous instances proved highly beneficial, and in others effected a desired cure.

This is a purely vegetable compound, prepared on strictly scientific principles, after the manner of the celebrated Holland Professor, Boerhave: Because of its great success in the most of the European States, its introduction into the United States was intended more especially for those of our fatherland scattered here and there over the face of this mighty country. Meeting with great success among them, I now offer it to the American public, knowing that its truly wonderful medical virtues must be acknowledged.

It is particularly recommended to those persons whose constitutions may have been impaired by the continuous use of ardent spirits, or other forms of dissipation. Generally instantaneous in effect, it finds its way directly to the seat of life, thrilling and quickening every nerve, raising up the drooping spirit, and, in fact, infusing new health and vigor in the system.

CAUTION.—The great popularity of this delightful aroma has induced many imitations, which the public should guard against purchasing. Be not persuaded to buy anything else until you have given Boerhave's Holland Bitters a fair trial. One bottle will convince you how infinitely superior it is to all those imitations.

☞ Sold at $1.00 per bottle, or six bottles for $5, by the SOLE PROPRIETORS,

BENJ. PAGE, JR., & CO.,
Manufacturing Pharmaceutists and Chemists,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

T. W. Dyott & sons, Philadelphia; Barnes & Park, New York; John D. Park, Cincinnati; Bayard, Adams & Co., St. Louis; A. ROUSH, Altoona, Pa., and by Druggists and Merchants generally throughout the United States and Canadas. [October 14, 1858.-1y

ALL WANTING FARMS IN A DELIGHTFUL CLIMATE, rich soil, and secure from frosts. See advertisement of Hammonton Lands in another column.

A BOOK FOR EVERYBODY.—STARTLING DISCLOSURES.—Dr. TELLER'S great work for the married, or for those contemplating marriage—200 pages, full of PLATES. Price 25 cents—sent to all parts under seal, by mail, POST PAID. 600,000 copies sold the last year. The single, married, and the married happy. A Lecture on *Love,* or how to choose a partner; a complete work on Midwifery. It contains hundreds of secrets never before published—warranted to be worth three times the amount asked for it. 25 cents in specie or postage stamps enclosed, will secure a copy by return of mail.

DR. TELLER has devoted a lifetime to the cure of diseases on which his books treat. Address J. TELLER, M. D. No. 5 Beaver street, Albany, N. Y.

Dr. Vichols' Female Pills, $1 a box, with full directions. Married ladies should not use them. Sent by mail. Address Dr. Teller, as above. April 11th, '59-1y.

TO all wanting Farms. See advertisement of Hammonton Lands.

LANDS! LANDS!! LANDS!!!—The undersigned is prepared to locate LAND WARRANTS in the Omaha and Nebraska City Land Office.—Good selections can now be made near the large streams and settlements. The Lands of this Territory, now in Market, are of the best quality.

☞ Selections carefully made. Letters of inquiry requested. ALEX. F. McKINNEY,
OMAPOLIS, Cass County, N. Ter.
July 14, 1859.-tf

REFERENCES:
Rev. A. B. CLARK, Altoona, Pa.
Wm. M. LLOYD & Co., Bankers, Altoona, Pa.
McCAUX & DEAN, Editors, "
THOS. A. SCOTT, Supt. P. R. R., "
D. McMURTRIE, Esq., Huntingdon, Pa.

PERSONS wanting change of climate for health. See advertisement of Hammonton Lands, in another column.

LEVI RILING,
IMPORTER OF
WINES, BRANDIES, GINS, &c.
Allegheny Street, North Ward,
ALTOONA, PA.

A large stock of all kinds of LIQUORS of the very best Brands, will be kept constantly on hand, and will be sold in lots to suit purchasers, at prices as reasonable as they can be had anywhere in the country. [May 12, '59-tf

SHOE Business and Factories can be carried on profitably at Hammonton. See advertisement of Hammonton Lands.

100 BOXES WINDOW GLASS, from 8x10 to 24x36.
Putty Knives,
Paint, Wall and Varnish Brushes,
Plaster Paris,
Logwood,
Extract Logwood,
Camwood,
1 Barrel Prime Yellow Ochre,
Venition Red,
Spanish Brown, in store and for sale by
May 12, 1859. A. ROUSH.

PAINTS! PAINTS!
2,000 lbs. WHITE LEAD, different Brands.
1,000 lb

WOOD, EDDY & CO.'S
DELAWARE STATE
LOTTERIES!
CAPITAL PRIZE $34,500
TICKETS $10.
WOOD, EDDY & CO., MANAGERS.
SUCCESSORS TO GREGORY & MAURY.

The undersigned, having become owners of THE ABOVE LOTTERY CHARTER IN DELAWARE offer to the public the following scheme, to be drawn each Wednesday in AUGUST, 1859, at Wilmington, Delaware, in public, under the superintendence of sworn commissioners appointed by the Governor.

Class 420 Draws Wednesday, August 3, 1859.
Class 432 Draws Wednesday, August 10, 1859.
Class 444 Draws Wednesday, August 17, 1859.
Class 456 Draws Wednesday, August 24, 1859.
Class 468 Draws Wednesday, August 31, 1859.

THIRTY-FOUR THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED AND TWELVE PRIZES!

Nearly one Prize to every two Tickets!

78 Numbers—14 Drawn Ballots.

MAGNIFICENT SCHEME.

TO BE DRAWN
EACH WEDNESDAY IN AUGUST.

1 Prize of	$34,500 is		$34,500
1 "	15,000 "		15,000
1 "	10,000 "		10,000
1 "	7,500 "		7,500
1 "	4,000 "		4,000
1 "	2,500 "		2,500
1 "	1,892 "		1,892
30 Prizes of	1,000 are		30,000
30 "	500 "		15,000
40 "	300 "		12,000
257 "	200 "		51,400
64 "	100 "		6,400
34 "	70 "		2,480
128 "	40 "		5,120
5,568 "	20 "		111,360
27,221 "	10 "		272,240
34,412 Prizes amounting to			$560,392

Whole Tickets $10—*Halves* $5—*Quarters* $2,50

Certificates of Packages will be sold at the following rates, which is the risk.

Certificates of Package of	26	Whole tickets	$141,00
" "	26	Half "	70,50
" "	26	Quarter "	35,25

DELAWARE LOTTERY—CLASS NO. 356,
DRAWS ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 27, 1859.
78 *Numbers*—14 *Drawn Ballots.*

1 Grand Capital Prize of $70,000!

1 Prize of	$30,000	5 Prizes of		$4,000
1 "	20,000	5 "		2,500
1 "	10,000	100 "	"	1,000
1 "	7,780	&c., &c., &c.		

34,412 Prizes amounting to $1,292,000!
Whole Tickets $20; *Halves* $10; *Quarters* $5.

IN ORDERING TICKETS OR CERTIFICATES,
Enclose the amount of money to our address, for what you wish to purchase; name the Lottery in which you wish it invested, and whether you wish Wholes, Halves or Quarters, on receipt of which, we send what is ordered, by first mail, together with the scheme.

Immediately after the drawing, the drawn numbers will be sent with a written explanation.

Purchasers will please write their signatures plain, and give the name of their Post Office, County and State.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Those who prefer not sending money by mail, can use THE ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY,
whereby money for Tickets, in sums of Ten Dollars, and upwards, can be sent us
AT OUR RISK AND EXPENSE,
from any city or town where they have an office. The money and order must be enclosed in a "GOVERNMENT POST OFFICE STAMPED ENVELOPE," or the Express Company cannot receive them.

☞ Orders for Tickets or Certificates, by Mail or Express, to be directed to WOOD, EDDY & Co.,
Wilmington, Delaware.

☞ The Drawings of the Delaware State Lotteries are published in the New York Times and Herald.

EIGHT REASONS
WHY
EVERYBODY SHOULD GO TO
C. B. SINK'S STORE.

1. HE HAS A LARGE AND WELL selected assortment of Dry Goods, which are worth going to see.
2. He has an unequalled stock of *GROCERIES*, fresh and pure, which he will sell as reasonable as any merchant in the place.
3. He has *Hardware, Queensware, Stoneware, &c.*, of the most fashionable styles.
4. He has a large case of *Boots and Shoes* for Gents, Ladies, Misses and Children, embracing all sizes, qualities and prices.
5. He has a fine stock of *HATS* for Summer wear—just the pink of the fashion—all very cheap.
6. He keeps always on hand an assortment of *Ready-Made Clothing*, to suit the season.
7. He has on hand a large stock of *Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings*, which he will make up to order on short notice in a fashionable style, and at prices which must give satisfaction.
8. He don't ask people to come and buy—only to come and examine his stock, feeling confident that if they but examine they will buy without asking.

Altoona, May 5, 1859.—tf

CHEAP GOODS
AT McCORMICK'S STORE.

JUST ARRIVED, AND NOW BEING opened, a very extensive assortment of
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,
of all the different varieties usually kept in country stores, carefully selected in quality and style to suit the season, consisting, in the Dry Goods department, of Prints, Lawns, Shallys, Delaines, &c., &c., in all their variety.

Also—Ladies, Misses and Gent's Gaiters, Boots & Shoes, Hats, Caps, Bonnets, &c., &c.

Hardware, Queensware, Cedarware, Leghorn, Palm Leaf and Panama Hats, Coffee, Sugar, Tea, Molasses, Rice, Dried Peaches, &c., Dried Beef, Sugar-Cured Hams, Shoulders, Sides, &c.

all of which will be sold or exchanged for all kinds of produce, such as Butter, Eggs, Lard, Tallow, Rags, Soap, and Grain of any kind, as low if not lower than any other house in town. Being very thankful for past patronage, we will consider it a very great favor to receive a visit from our friends, and be much gratified in having the pleasure of showing them our Goods.

Altoona, May 5 1859. A. McCORMICK.

HATS! HATS!!—SPRING AND SUMMER STYLES.
The subscriber has just returned from the city with a large and well selected stock of Men and Boys'

HATS AND CAPS, OF ALL STYLES,

FOR SPRING & SUMMER WEAR,
of every color and shape. Also, a good assortment of
LADIES AND MISSES FLATS,
of different varieties, all of which will be sold
CHEAP FOR CASH.

Persons in want of anything in the above line, will please give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as I am determined to sell at the very lowest possible prices.
Store on Virginia street, opposite the Lutheran church.
Altoona, April 28, 1859-tf. JESSE SMITH.

JACOB SNYDER, TAILOR,
The Hero of One Hundred Fits per Month!

I would respectfully set forth my claim to public attention, as a Fashionable Tailor, as follows:
Because I keep an excellent assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings and Trimmings, which, when examined, always please.
Because my work is made up in a manner that takes down the country and gives all my customers a city appearance.
Because I am not inferior as a Cutter to the best to be found anywhere.
Because long experience in my business gives me entire control over it, and I am not dependant upon any one to fit me out of the rags.
Because I am still on the sunny side of forty, and therefore my taste as a Cutter and workman unimpaired.
Call on me, in the corner room of the "Brant House." Give me a trial and you will go away pleased.
Altoona, May 26-3m JACOB SNYDER.

BLAIR COUNTY MARBLE YARD.—Messrs. Freeman & Hoover respectfully inform the public that they have established a NEW MARBLE YARD, on the corner of *Allegheny and Front Streets*, in Hollidaysburg, where they will keep constantly on hand a full assortment of
CHOICE MARBLE,
and be prepared to execute orders for
Tomb Stones, Monuments, Table Tops,
&c., in a prompt and workmanlike manner.
Hollidaysburg, April 14, '59-3m.*

CAN BE BOUGHT AT H. TUCH'S, Winchester & Co's Patent Shoulder Seam Fine Shirts Dec. 9, 1858.

CAMPHENE, BURNING FLUID, Linseed Oil, Spirits of Turpentine, White Lead and Colors, for sale cheap at A. ROUSH'S.

PERSONS wishing to establish Manufactories in a new and thriving place where business is good. See advertisement of the Hammonton Settlement.

DR. COGGSWELL'S NEW MEDICAL SALT.
Read the following Certificates to the Efficacy of this Medicine in Inflammatory Diseases.

"For the last twelve years I have been more or less troubled with Inflammatory Rheumatism, commencing early in the Spring, and lasting until cold weather set in, when I would be relieved for a while, only to be attacked again in the Spring. All my joints would swell and be very sore, attended with the most acute pain. My feet, shoulders, augus, and hands troubled me most, so much so that I could scarcely walk, and almost always required assistance in dressing. During this time I would try everything I could hear of, in the hope of finding a cure. I also tried several physicians, but nothing seemed to help me in the least in the world. About two and a half years ago I was attacked as usual, and as usual tried everything to get rid of it, but to no purpose. I kept growing worse, and finally had to give up and stay in the house, where I was confined about four weeks. This time my feet swelled, and were so sore that I could not stand on them or get on my boots, and My hands swelled to twice their usual size. In fact, I was, to all appearances and belief, totally used up. About this time my parents, who reside in Maine, sent for me to come home. I went and after my arrival I commenced trying another remedy, hoping to be cured, but resulting the same as all others. For weeks I had not been able to dress myself or to raise my hand to my head, and suffering the most excruciating pain all the time.—One day my father came in with a paper in which was advertised Dr. Coggswell's MEDICAL SALT, for Inflammatory Diseases only, and wanted me to read and see what I thought of it. I read and laughed at it, pronounced it a humbug, and told him that I had been humbugged enough. He kept urging me, and at last said I could but try it, and if I would write to Dr. C., giving him a description of my disease, he would pay the expense. Of course I could not refuse such an offer and sent for one box. It came in due season, but my faith was not increased, and I laughed at the idea of so small a dose doing me any good, and told my wife that I believed Dr. C. and his Salt, both humbugs.—However, I commenced using it and the result was perfectly astonishing. I could hardly realize it myself. I slept soundly all night, which I had not done for a long time, and when I awoke in the morning, strange as it may seem, I was entirely free from pain. I had then taken but one dose, and bathed freely before going to bed. That morning I felt so well that I hardly knew how to contain myself, and went down stairs and told the folks how well I felt, and from that day to this I have not suffered one moment's pain or had an attack of my once dreaded enemy, Rheumatism. I am perfectly well and hearty, and wherever I have a chance I recommend it. A friend of mine, residing in Brooklyn, is now trying it for a bad case of neuralgic rheumatism, and so far it is working admirably.—This is a long story, but I have told all the facts, which I can bring witnesses to substantiate if necessary; and will again say that in the MEDICAL SALT, a sure cure may be found for all inflammatory diseases, and would urge all who are afflicted to give it a trial. GEO. H. DUNCAN,
No. 117 Wall Street, New York.

When it is remembered that the MEDICAL SALT is as efficacious in all other Inflammatory diseases as in Rheumatism, (see descriptive circulars) it will at once be seen that it is a most valuable remedy. Surely those thus afflicted will find in their own condition and in the above statements, enough to induce them to give the MEDICAL SALT a trial.

Price $1,00; Chronic packages, $2,50.

D. C. TAYLOR & CO.,
General Agents, No. 202 Dock Street, Philadelphia.

For sale in Altoona by A. ROUSH; at Bells Mills by B. F. Bell; in Hollidaysburg by Geo. A. Jacobs, and by all enterprising Druggists, and wherever the *Tribune* goes.—Call or send and get a circular, and do not fail to try the New Medical Salt.

Dec. 16, '58-1y.

WEST ALTOONA CABINET WARE ROOM.—The undersigned has lately made arrangements to do business on a more extensive scale than heretofore, and is now prepared to execute all

ORDERS FOR FURNITURE,
OF ANY KIND,
AT SHORTEST NOTICE.

His workmen are acknowledged to be capable of doing *The very best work in the line of Cabinet Making,*
and all those who entrust him with their orders may rely upon receiving finished work.

He keeps a constant supply of Furniture on hand, to which he invites to attention of those intending to
"GO TO HOUSE-KEEPING."

Call on him at at his room in Loudonsville, near the Plank Road.

COFFINS MADE TO ORDER.
November 11, 1858. ISAAC CROMER.

FISK'S METALIC BURIAL CASES.—This is a new article in this section of the country, although extensively used in the East. They are a sure protection against
WATER AND VERMIN,
and possess many other advantages over the common coffins. The remains of the lamented CLAY and WEBSTER were encased in these cases.
For sale by ISAAC CROMER,
November 11, 1858. Altoona, Pa.

RED LION HOTEL,
ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

This old established and popular HOTEL, located nearly opposite the place of stopping the passenger cars in Altoona, has passed into the hands of the present proprietor.—Long experience in the business warrants me in assuring the travelling public that no pains will be spared to render guests as comfortable as possible while sojourning under my roof.

The TABLE will constantly be supplied with the very best the market affords.

The BAR will be found to contain an excellent assortment of LIQUORS of all kinds, including that choice beverage *LAGER BEER.*

The STABLE is in charge of an excellent and experienced Ostler.

The proprietor hopes, by his long experience in the busines and the facilities at his command, to make the Red Lion, in all respects, a first class Hotel. The business of the Hotel will be under my own personal supervision. A liberal share of public patronage is kindly solicited.
JOHN W. SCHWEIGERT, *Proprietor.*
May 19, 1859.—tf

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL,
R. E. SELLERS' Imperial Cough Syrup,
Hoofland's German Bitters,
Bærhave's Holland Bitters,
Sandford's Liver Invigorator,
Lindsey's Blood Searcher,
Clarke's Female Pills,
Duponco's Golden Pills,
Wright's, Ayer's, Wilson's and McLane's Pills,
Merchant's Gargling Oil,
Perry Davis' Pain Killer,
Matchett's Fourfold Liniment,
Mexican, Arabian, Nerve and Bone Leniment,
in store and for sale at
Sept. 2, 1858—tf.] A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.

HOME TESTIMONY.
[From the Lewistown Aurora.]

I have been afflicted for ten years with Chronic Diarrhoea, and have received more benefit from Du Vall's Galvanic Oil than any other medicine I ever used. ALEX. McKEE.
Oliver township, Mifflin county, Pa.

This is to certify that I used Du Vall's Galvanic Oil in my family in some of the diseases for which it is recommended and found to act almost spontaneously. I recommend it to all who suffer from pain. A. M. INGRAM.
Sept. 2, '58—1y. Decatur township, Mifflin co., Pa.

A CARD.—Hear what Mrs. Vaughn of Duncansville says:—I have used the Galvanic Oil prepared by J. D. Stonecroad, Lewistown, Pa., for a very painful disease myself and recommend it to others, and in every case found it to be one of the very best medicines for sore and painful diseases. Relieves all pain in a few minutes. Every family should have it in the house.
Sept. 16, 1858.—1y.

WALL PAPER! WALL PAPER!!—we are now receiving at the "MODEL STORE," a large assortment of
WALL PAPER AND BORDER,
purchased direct from the manufacturers in New York, and we can therefore offer great inducements to those who wish to purchase. Call and examine our stock.
March 17th, 1859-tf. J. & J. LOWTHER.

J. G. ADLUM,
Notary Public,
ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.
Can at all times be found at the store of J. B. Hileman.
Altoona, October 1, 1857.—1y

FLOUR.—THE BEST QUALITY OF FAMILY FLOUR for sale, Wholesale and Retail.—Apply to J. SHOEMAKER,
Dec. 11, 1856-tf. Masonic Temple.

CREAM TARTER, SUPER-CARBONATE of Soda, Saleratus, Washing Soda, Durkee's Baking Powder, in store and for sale at
Sept. 2, '58-tf.] A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.

SELLING OFF—A LARGE ASSORTMENT of Boots and Shoes, Buffalo and Cap Overshoes, at H. TUCH'S
Dec. 9, 1858.

ALL THE STANDARD PATENT MEDICINES AT [1-tf. KESSLER'S.

GLASS 8x10 TO 20x24, AND CUT to order by G. W. KESSLER.

SPECTACLES AND EYE PRESERVERS for sale at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

NEW AGRICULTURAL SETTLEMENT.—*To all wanting Farms, a rare opportunity in a delightful and healthy climate 25 miles Southeast of Philadelphia, on the Camden and Atlantic Railroad New Jersey.*

All old estate consisting of several thousands of acres of *productive soil* has been divided into Farms of various sizes to *suit the* purchaser. A population of some *Fifteen Hundred,* from various parts of the Middle States and New England have settled there the past year, improved their places, and *raised excellent crops.* The price of the land is at the low sum of from $15 to $20 per acre, the soil is of the best quality for the production of *Wheat, Clover, Corn, Peaches, Grapes and Vegetables.* IT IS CONSIDERED THE BEST FRUIT SOIL IN THE UNION. The place is perfectly secure from frosts—the destructive enemy of the farmer.—Crops of grain, grass and fruit are now growing and can be seen. By examining the place itself, a correct judgment can be formed of the productiveness of the land. The terms are made easy to secure the rapid improvement of the land, which is only sold for *actual improvement.* The result has been, that within the past year, some *three hundred houses* have been erected, two mills, one steam, four stores, some forty vinyards and Peach orchards, planted, and a large number of other improvements, making it a desirable and active place of business.
THE MARKET,
as the reader may perceive from its location, is the
BEST IN THE UNION.

Produce bringing double the price than in locations away from the city, and more than double the price than the West. It is known that the earliest and best fruits and vegetables in the latitude come from New Jersey, and are annually exported to the extent of millions.

In locating here, the settler has many advantages. He is within a few hours ride of the great cities of New England and Middle States, he is near his old friends and associations, he is in a *settled country where every improvement of comfort and civilization is at hand.* He can buy every article he wants at the cheapest price, and sell his produce for the highest, (in the West this is reversed,) he has schools for his children, *divine service,* and will enjoy an open winter, and delightful climate, where fevers are utterly unknown. The result of the change upon those from the north, has generally been to restore them to an excellent state of health.

In the way of building and improving, lumber can be obtained at the mills at the rate of $10 to $15 per thousand. Bricks from the brick yard opened in the place, every article can be procured in the place, good carpenters are at hand, and there is no place in the Union where buildings and improvements can be made cheaper.

The reader will at once be struck with the advantages there presented, and ask himself why the property has not been taken up before. The reason is, it was never thrown in the market; and unless these statements were correct, no one would be invited to examine the land before purchasing. This all are expected to do. They will see land under cultivation, such is the extent of the settlement that they will no doubt, meet persons, from their own neighborhood; they will witness the improvements and can judge the character of the population. If they come with a view to settle, they should come prepared to stay a day or two and be ready to purchase, as locations cannot be held on refusal.

There are two daily trains to Philadelphia, and to all settlers who improve, the Railroad Company gives a Free Ticket for six months, and a half-price Ticket for three years.

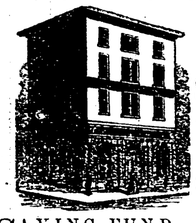
THE TOWN OF HAMMONTON.

In connection with the agricultural settlement, a new and thriving town has naturally arisen, *which presents inducements for any kind of business, particularly stores and manufactories. The Shoe business* could be carried on in this place and market to good advantage, also cotton business, and manufactories of *agricultural implements* or *Founderies for casting small articles.* The improvement has been so rapid as to insure a constant and permanent increase of business. Town lots of a good size, we do not sell small ones, as it would effect the improvement of the place, can be had at from $100 and upwards.

The *Hammonton Farmer,* a monthly literary and agricultural sheet, containing full information of Hammonton, can be obtained at 25 cents per annum.

Title indisputable—warrantee deeds given, clear of all incumbrance when money is paid. Route to the land, leave Vine street wharf, Philadelphia for Hammonton by Railroad, at 7½ A. M., or 4½ P. M. Fare 90 cents. When there inquire for Mr. Byrnes. Boarding conveniences on hand. Parties had better stop with Mr. Byrnes, a principal, until they have decided as to purchasing, as he will show them over the land in his carriage, free of expense. Letters and applications can be addressed to Landis & Byrnes, Hammonton P. O., Atlantic Co., New Jersey, or S. B. Coughlin, 202 South Fifth Street, Philadelphia.—Maps and information cheerfully furnished.
[June 30 '59—6m.]

SAVING FUND.



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SAVING FUND.—NATIONAL SAFETY TRUST COMPANY.—CHARTERED BY THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

RULES.

1. Money is received every day, and in any amount, large or small.
2. FIVE PER CENT. interest is paid for money from the day it is put in.
3. The money is always paid back in GOLD, whenever it is called for, and without notice.
4. Money is received from *Executors, Administrators, Guardians,* and others who desire to have it in a place of perfect safety, and where interest can be obtained for it.
5. The money received from depositors is invested in REAL ESTATE, MORTGAGES, GROUND RENTS, and such other first class securities as the Charter directs.
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Office: Walnut Street, S. W. Corner of Third St. Philadelphia. April 14th, '59-1y.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.—Did you hear the news from Europe? If you have not, we will tell you what it is. It is that HENRY TUCK has just returned from the Eastern cities with a large supply of

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

consisting of all styles and qualities of Overcoats, Dress Coats, Vests, Pants, Boots and Shoes, and everything kept in an establishment of the kind, all of which he offers at unprecedentedly low prices for cash. Having purchased his stock at cash prices, he is thereby enabled to sell very low.

He invites all those in want of anything in his line to give him a call, feeling sure that he will be able to give satisfaction. HENRY TUCK.
Altoona, Sept. 30, 1858.—tf

THE GREAT QUESTION WHICH now agitates the mind of every person is, where can I get the best article for my money? In regard to other matters, the subscriber would not attempt to direct, but if you want anything in the line of
BOOTS OR SHOES
he invites an examination of his stock and work.

He keeps constantly on hand an assortment of Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., which he offers at fair prices.

He will give special attention to custom work, all of which will be warranted to give satisfaction. None but the best workmen are employed

Remember my shop is on Virginia street, immediately opposite Kessler's Drug Store.
September 3, '57-tf] JOHN H. ROBERTS.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—THE UNDERSIGNED has now on hand and will sell cheap at his store in the Masonic Temple, a large and complete assortment of BOOTS AND SHOES, ready made, or made to order, Overshoes, Ladies' Sandals, Gum Shoes, Cork Soles, and everything in his line of business, of the best quality and on the most reasonable terms. All custom work warranted.
Jan. 2, '56-tf.] J. SHOEMAKER.

BOOT AND SHOEMAKER.—THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he still continues to manufacture Boots and Shoes of every description, on the shortest notice, at his shop on Main Street, next door to the *Tribune* office. His work is done up in the best of style, and cannot fail to give satisfaction. Only give him a call.
Nov. 4, 1858.—1y. L. RICKARDS.

LEVI'S PREPARATION FOR EXterminating RATS, MICE, ROACHES, ANTS, and Bed-bugs without danger in its use under any circumstances, for sale at the Drug Store of
Jan. 24, '56-tf] G. W. KESSLER.

LUMBER FOR SALE.
60,000 SHINGLES, 50,000 LATHES,
and all kinds of BUILDING MATERIAL, lower than the lowest, for Cash. Apply to JOHN SHOEMAKER.

OYES! O YES!—GENTLEMEN draw nigh and hear. JOSEPH P. TROUT announces to the public, that he is ready to discharge his duty as an Auctioneer whenever called upon. [Jan. 2 '56.

THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF Boy's wear, such as Jackets, Frock and Overcoats Pants and Vests, at the lowest prices, at H. TUCH'S.
Dec. 9, 1858.

SOLUTION OF CITRATE OF MAGNESIA—a cooling Cathartic, mild in its operation and agreeable to the taste, prepared and for sale by
June 24, 1858.—tf A. ROUSH, *Druggist.*

PIKE'S PEAK is creating considerable excitement, but not so much by any means as the large, splendid and cheap stock of

Spring Goods,

now being opened at the MODEL STORE; and while it is still a mooted question whether or not gold can be procured by going to the former place, the proprietors of the Model feel confident in saying that gold can be saved by persons purchasing goods of them.

Our Stock at present will be found much larger and more varied than heretofore, and we hope to be able to please the tastes of the most fastidious.

Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods,
Such as English and French Ducals, black and fancy Silks, French Brilliants, figured and white Marseilles, Lawns, Ginghams, Prints, Muslins, &c.

Also, a splendid assortment of White Goods, Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts, &c. We have also on hand a large lot of CARPETS, bought at auction for cash, which will be sold very cheap. A large assortment of beautiful Spring and Summer SHAWLS.

BOOTS & SHOES,
Wooden & Willow Ware, Queensware,
HARDWARE GROCERIES
& C., & C., & C.

Feeling thankful to our friends for their patronage heretofore, we are determined to sell Goods cheaper than ever for cash or for prompt monthly payments only. We cordially invite our old and new friends and customers to call and see our new stock, which we will be pleased to show them. J. & J. LOWTHER.
April 7th, '59.

DUVALL'S GALVANIC OIL.
Prepared originally by Prof. H. DU VALL, formerly of the College of Surgeons, at Paris, is now offered to the public, ☞ for the cure of sore and painful diseases.☜

For instance—Pain or soreness in any part of the system, Rheumatism, pain in the back, breast or side, boiled breasts, neuralgia, burns, sprains, headache, cramp in the stomach, or any other disease that is SORE and PAINFUL, and it is only over this class of diseases that we claim a perfect VICTORY. We say positively to our patrons we can relieve the sufferer 90 times out of 100. We would just say to the public, Prof. Du Vall was 25 years in bringing to this medicine superiority over all others.

Price 50 cents per bottle—½ per cent. cut off to the trade. All orders must be addressed to
J. D. STONEROAD, Proprietor,
Sept. 2, 1858-1y.] Lewistown, Pa.

Agents for Du Vall's Galvanic Oil—Henry Lehr, G. W. Kessler, and A. Roush, Altoona, and all dealers in medicine everywhere.

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!
Unrivaled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.

Every person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest portable light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine these Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate

1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.
2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.
3d. That they are very easily trimmed.
4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.
5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.
6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.

These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Mechanics, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.

The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side, hanging and table fluid and oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.

We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.
Aug. 19, 1858-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

"MAGNUM EST VECTIGAL PARSIMONIA"—Did every one who reads the heading of this article but understand its meaning, they would immediately repair to the shop of

JOHN O'DONNELL,
FASHIONABLE TAILOR,

Main St., Altoona, a few doors below the Red Lion Hotel, and select a suit of clothes from the large stock of
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,
which he has just received from the East, feeling sure that in doing so they would be carrying out the motto.

It is not necessary here to mention the different styles and quantities of the goods on hand, suffice it to say that he has everything in the line of gentlemen's wear, and he knows how to make it up in a fashionable and durable style, on terms as reasonable as those of any other merchant Tailor in the place.

Give him a call and you will soon discover that you can carry out the motto adopted by dealing with him.
April 28, '59-tf.

LOGAN HOTEL.—THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully informs the citizens of Blair county and others, that he has opened up the LOGAN HOUSE, formerly kept by Sheriff Rees, at the west end of Hollidaysburg, for the reception of strangers and travellers.—Everything connected with the house has been refitted in the new with the choicest furniture, &c., &c.

The house is large and commodious, and well calculated for convenience and comfort.

His TABLE will be furnished with the very best the market can afford, and no pains or trouble will be spared to render those who may choose to favor him with their patronage comfortable and happy during their stay with him.

His STABLING is ample, and an obliging and careful hostler will always be in attendance.

☞ The Williamsburg stage, which makes daily trips between this place and Williamsburg, stops at the Logan Hotel.
Dec. 17, 1857,—tf.] JOHN KEIFFER.

Stoves, Tin & Sheet-Iron Ware, Sponting.

JAS. W. RIGG WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of *Cooking, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves,* of all styles and sizes, to suit the wants of all, which he will sell at low prices, on reasonable terms.

He also keeps on hand a large stock of *Tin and Sheet-Iron Ware,* consisting of all articles for culinary purposes—*Coal Scuttles, Stove Pipe, &c.* Also, a large lot of Cast Iron Force Pumps.

☞ Particular attention paid to putting up SPOUTING, either in town or country. Spouting painted and put up on the most reasonable terms. [april 14, 1859-1y

W. M. LLOYD & CO., ALTOONA, PA.,
JOHNSTON, JACK & CO., HOLLIDAYSBURG, PA.,
BANKERS,
(*Late "Bell, Johnston, Jack & Co."*)

DRAFTS ON THE PRINCIPAL Cities, and Silver and Gold for sale. Collections made. Moneys received on deposite, payable on demand, without interest, or upon time, with interest at fair rates.
Feb. 3d, 1859.

NEW SADDLERY SHOP.—THE subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has opened a Shop on Virginia street, next door to J. & J. Lowther's Store, where he is prepared to manufacture Harness, Horse Gears of all kinds, Saddles, Bridles, Halters, Whips, and everything in his line on short notice and reasonable terms.—Articles of the above description always on hand for sale. Having a full knowledge of the business, I hope to be able to render satisfaction to all, and ask the patronage of those wishing anything in my line. HENRY WEHN.
Altoona, June 9, 1859.—tf

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! OYSTERS! In consequence of the hard times, I have concluded to put down the price of my OYSTERS to the lowest possible standard. They will hereafter be served up on the Chafing Dish at TWENTY CENTS, and roasted in the shell and served up with all other accompaniments, TWENTY-FIVE CENTS. They will also be furnished, in every other way, at prices to correspond with the times.
JOHN KEIFFER,
Dec. 17, tf.] Logan House, Hollidaysburg.

CONCENTRATED LYE, FOR MAKING Soft Soap, and Soap Powder for Washing, one pound equal to six of common Soap; Castile Soap, Palm Soap, Chemical Soap, etc., on hand and for sale at
June 10, 1858.—tf] A. ROUSH'S.

LIQUORS.—A LARGE AMOUNT of well selected LIQUORS has been received at the "LOGAN HOUSE," Hollidaysburg, which will be sold at the lowest cash prices, wholesale or retail. The man who wants has only to call. [Dec. 17, tf.

QUEENSWARE, JUST RECEIVED. A large and fashionable assortment at the store of
J. B HILEMAN.

HAIR OILS, COLOGNES, POMades, Shaving Cream, Toilet Soaps, &c. for sale by
1-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPtions just received and for sale by
Oct. 15-tf] J. B. HILEMAN.

HAIR, HAT, TOOTH, SHAVING, Paint, Sash and Varnish Brushes at
KESSLER'S.

MARIA L. DE PEYSTER MEMORIAL SCHOOL.—This institution, which is located in Altoona, Blair County, Penn'a, will be opened on the 1st MONDAY in MAY. It is intended as a permanent School, and will connect with it a Male & Female Department. In the Male department, young men will be instructed with a view to their entering the advanced classes of our best Colleges; or, if desired, their education completed. In the Female department, instruction will be given in any, or all of the different branches, either *solid or ornamental,* taught in our best Female Seminaries.

The year will be divided into two Sessions of five months each—the Summer Session to commence on the 1st Monday of May, ending on the last Wednesday of September—the Winter Session to commence on the 1st Monday in November, ending on the last Wednesday of March. The Sessions will be divided into two quarters of eleven weeks each. Terms, per quarter, as follows—viz.:

SOLID BRANCHES.

Primary (including Reading, Writing, Orthography, Arithmetic, Grammar, and Geography, &c.)	$4,00
Advanced (Including the Natural Sciences, Mathematics, Mental and Moral Philosophy, Logic, the Languages and Composition &c.)	$5,00

EXTRA, OR ORNAMENTAL BRANCHES.

Music (Including use of Instrument)	$10,00
Drawing,	$5,00
Painting (In water Colors)	3,00
Needle work,	2,00

Instructions in vocal music gratis. One half the above charges, to be paid invariably in advance.

R. W. OLIVER, *Superintendent Male Dep't.*
A. B. CLARK, " *Female* "
Mr. ——— *Principal of Male* "
Miss C. M. CLARK, " *Female* "
March 10, 1859.—tf

HOLLIDAYSBURG MARBLE WORKS
JOHN McKRAGE, successor to A. W. Kinney,
Manufacturer of all kinds of
PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL MARBLE WORK,
at the lowest possible prices. All work finished at this establishment warranted to give satisfaction.

NEW GROCERY FEED AND PROVISION STORE.

The subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has opened a store of the above kind, near the corner of Adaline and Julia streets, East Altoona, where he will keep constantly on hand a full supply of everything in his line. His
GROCERIES
are all fresh and will be sold at prices as low as those of any other establishment in town. His stock of provisions, consisting of
Flour, Hams, Shoulders, Sides, &c.
will be sold a little cheaper than they can be bought any where else. His Flour is obtained from the best mills in the Western part of the State, and is warranted to be what it is represented.

All kinds of Feed for horses, cows and hogs, always on hand.

I intend to keep such an assortment that I shall at all times be able to supply my customers with whatever they may need, and I intend also to sell at prices which will make it a saving to those who patronize my store.
July 22, 1858-3m. HENRY BELL.

ANOTHER BREAK-OUT.—THE subscriber would inform his old customers that he has opened out again at his old stand, where he hopes to receive their calls. He has now on hand the cheapest and best assortment of
GROCERIES
that can be found in the town, consisting of
SUGAR, COFFEE, TEA, MOLASSES, Salt by the bushel or sack, Dried Fruit of all kinds, Fish of the very best quality,
together with everything in the Grocery line, all of which is fresh from the Eastern market.

He also keeps constantly on hand a suppy of
FLOUR, FEED AND GRAIN,
which he sells at the lowest market prices.

PORK always on hand and retailed in quantities to suit purchasers. JOHN LEHR.
December 16, 1858-1y

THE SECRET INFIRMITIES OF YOUTH AND MATURITY, just published Gratis, the 25th Thousand.

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